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Citizen keeps vigilent eye on Westland's roving workers

I wish the driver of the Westland's Water Department's blue van would at least turn his motor off when he's reading his paper in the mini-market in the morning.

Also, the city worker who drives the General Motors van needs to pay for his paper instead of helping himself to a free one out of the box.

They make enough money to pay for a newspaper. And they should read newspapers on their own time.

That's just like the engineering department truck at Norm's Meat Market. One time he leaves the keys in the ignition, the motor running, and the van unattended.

Something is rotten here, and I hope that change is soon coming.

Don't be intimidated into cutting Wayne County's roadside weeds

You need to print this as a warning to other Westland residents and taxpayers.

Beware if you live adjacent to a county road, such as, in this case, Cherry Hill.

You are not required to keep the roadside weeds trimmed, as they tried to intimidate me into doing. When you call their bluff, the county's threats turn out to be in error.

This is the county's responsibility, not the resident's.

A suggestion to Taylor Towers Relay of Life critics

To the residents of Taylor Towers who complained about the Relay of Life – get a life, would you please!

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Deepwell is expected to move forward

EPA hearing allows citizens to protest

By GENA GIANNUZZI
MCN Staff Writer

On Wednesday, June 13th, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) hosted an informational meeting at Romulus High School to address Romulus resident's concerns about two hazardous waste injection wells slated to begin construction by the Environmental Disposal Systems (EDS) in July.

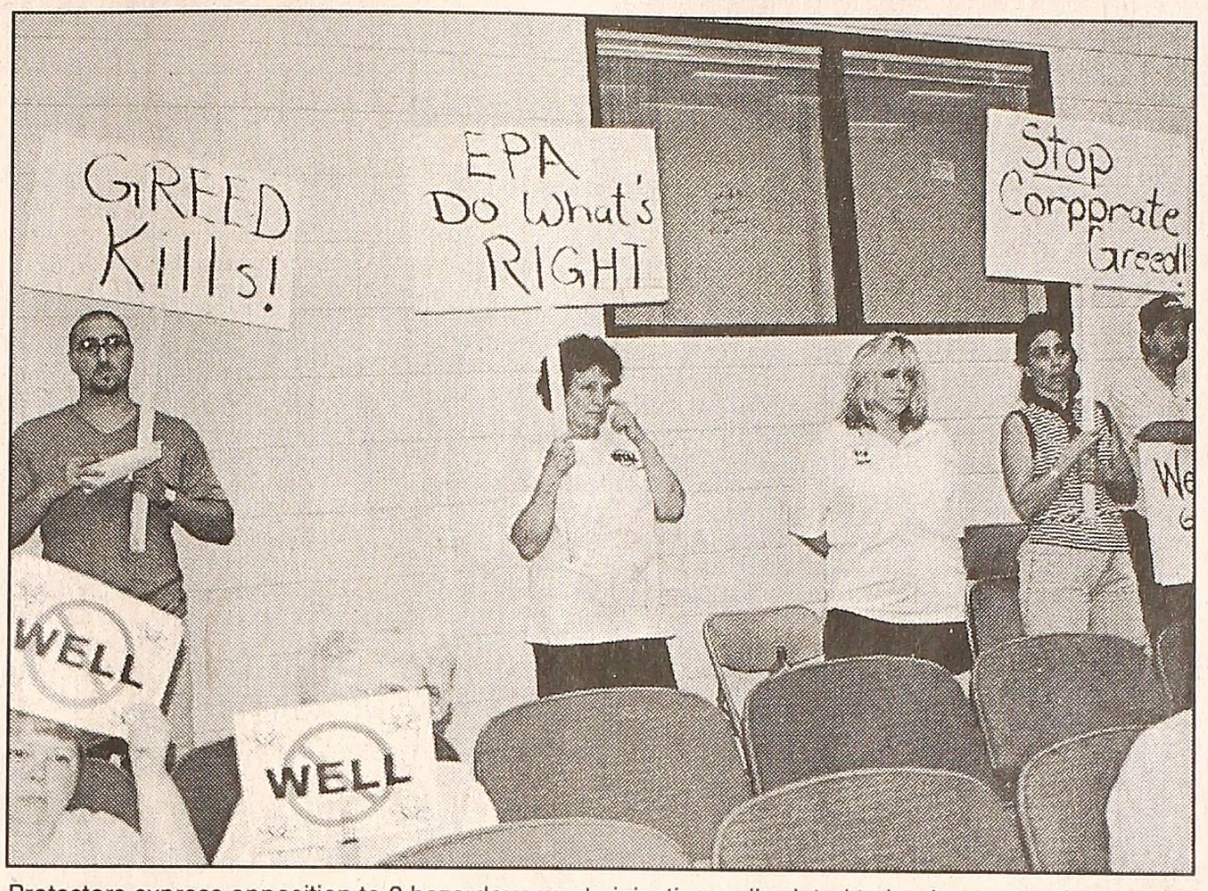
Mayor Bill Oakley invited the panel, made up of 3 EPA hazardous waste injection well specialists and one MDEQ representative, to address the community.

Valerie Jones, U.S. EPA Region 5 Underground Injection Control Branch Chief stated, "The reason we're here is because we want to explain what process the U.S. EPA requires before allowing waste to be injected."

Many attendees were confused about the number of wells actually slated to go in. The panel clarified the number to be 2 hazardous waste injection wells by EDS, and one proposed brine (salt water) well by Sun Pipeline.

Harlan Gerrish, a geologist from the EPA, said that EDS would be building two wells because, "If things go wrong mechanically with one well then there is another well to fall back upon."

About 60 citizens and community leaders showed up to express opposition to the wells, headed by Taylor Mayor Greg Pitoniak, who pleaded with the board to look at the overall impact to the surrounding community. He said, "There is no level of risk worth taking."



Protestors express opposition to 2 hazardous waste injection wells slated to begin construction in July.

Michigan State Representative Ray Basham, who represents Romulus and Taylor, addressed the panel with questions about the safety of the EDS hazardous waste injection wells, especially since they are going in so close to the Sun Pipeline Brine injection well to be built in the future.

"These two wells are ½ mile from each other. Is there a possibility that the waste from these 2 wells could intermingle and what would be the effects?" he asked.

About EDS's two new hazardous deep wells, and Sun Oil's pipeline deep well, Romulus Councilwoman Debbie Romak said, "Romulus is already a burdened community. Our risk and rates of cancer are higher than other communities."

She continued, "We're just going through the motions. People have never been a part of the decision making process."

Romulus Mayor Bill Oakley said, "I've always thought of the EPA and the MDEQ as protectors. Your first responsibility is to protect the people of the U.S."

Romulus Councilman, Bill Wadsworth voiced his opposition to the well since he voted against it in 1990. "I have hope, but I have a sickening feeling that it is going to go through. However, I will continue to fight against it."

Citizens attending the meeting expressed a lack of belief that their efforts could stop the well. Some were even crying.

"We are considering relocating from Taylor and we are going to be very careful whom we vote for," said Dena Mack who attended the meeting with her 8-year-old stepdaughter Ciera. She added, "The people who can afford it will move out."

The panel hoped to calm the official's and the audience's fears. Mr. Gerrish said that the Land Ban Program of the Conservation and Recovery Act passed by Congress in 1984 ruled that waste is not allowed to be placed where it cannot be stored safely for 10,000 years without contaminating the water supply.

He explained, "We're not here to protect corporate greed. If a simulation shows the waste will reach a source of drinking water then we will deny the well." He added that EDS had to submit a "no migration demonstration" showing that water supplies would be safe, and that all simulations submitted by EDS showed this.

Steve Roy, doctorate in underground technology, said that EDS would be required to fulfill 3 requirements to be approved. They have to prove that the fluids placed in the well will not interact with ground water or other in-

Geologist Harlan Gerrish of E.P.A. explains the construction of the hazardous injection wells.

appropriate sources, that they have the appropriate testing devices, and lastly, that they will provide continuous monitoring of injection tubing and casing materials.

Roy commented, "They (EDS) do elaborate testing ahead of time. They don't want the well to mess up anymore than you want it to mess up. If it (the well) fulfills the legal requirements, we do not have the ability to deny it."

He continued, "I firmly believe that this technology will safely encase the waste in the ground." However, Roy acknowledged that there are some problems with the waste before it reaches the deep well containment area. "There are issues with what happens before it gets in the ground, but that deals with other agencies," he said.

Many felt that the EPA wasn't taking the effects on the people into consideration, a point that was confirmed by Valerie Jones who said, "The only way population can be taken into consideration is to prove environmental discrimination.

However, the office of Civil Rights at the EPA headquarters hasn't ruled on this yet." Jones said that the EDS wells would be allowed to move forward, "Unless there is an emergency court injunction ordering them to stop. It continues on unless they break the law, and they haven't at this point."

Workers lose jobs, express unhappiness

By STEPHANIE CARANO
MCN Special Writer

On June 1st the Lear Corporation announced that it would be laying off approximately 175 workers and closing its Romulus 2 plant.

Romulus 2 has been open for 14 years, manufacturing seats for the Ford Windstar and the Mercury Cougar. It is now moving it's operations to another plant in Windsor, Ontario, taking only 45 people from the Romulus 2 plant, all of them having at least 13 years seniority.

Lay-offs for the rest of the 175 workers begin in August of this year and the move to Windsor will be completed by the end of the plant's contract in 2002.

Bill Thomas, Chairman of the Plant, says the workers are dissatisfied with the way the lay-offs were handled. It was known that the contract was scheduled to end in July of next year and they had asked plant managers if they would be able to keep their jobs.

They were not able to get any answers until June 1st, two months before the lay-offs. Also, according to Thomas, the workers never got an explanation as to why the production lines were being moved.

Those scheduled to be laid-off could try to transfer to either the Windsor plant or a Rochester plant if they'd be willing to go through an interview process. If hired, however, they would lose all of their seniority.

Another plant owned by Lear, Romulus 1, offered to hire 10 people based on an interview and seniority for a few weeks of temporary work.

According to Don Turner, Union Steward, "We just found out that the Romulus 1 positions aren't permanent. They aren't keeping any of the workers from Romulus 2." This was revealed 13 days after the announcement of the plant closing and after some had hoped to continue working at Romulus 1.

Now, most of them don't know where and when they will find work after the closing of the plant.

Some of the those losing their jobs have at least 10 years with the Romulus 2 plant and will not be offered any kind of compensation. "They get to pick and choose who they want to keep," says Thomas of both the Rochester and Windsor plants.

The contract for the Romulus 1 plant is scheduled to end in 2007. It is not known if that plant will remain open or share the fate of Romulus 2.

CORRECTION

Last week's front page photo showing the Romulus High School graduation indicated ceremonies were held at EMU. That is incorrect. Ceremonies were actually held at the Romulus High School auditorium.

News in Brief

Lee Thomas

Lee Thomas to MC fundraiser

On Friday, July 13, at 8:00 p.m. at the Doubletree Metro-Airport Hotel, Merry Heart Productions will host their first fundraising event. Serving as Master of Ceremonies will be Lee Thomas, Special Feature Reporter for Fox 2 News, while local vocalist Carl Carlton will sing and comedian/impressionist Alturo Shelton entertains.

Merry Heart Productions is a local group hoping to change childrens' lives by bringing a non-violent, moral message to Metro Detroit area youth. The performances will be geared to fit into special school programs, and other youth events beginning in the Fall 2001 school year.

"We plan on contracting with theater companies to put on dramatic presentations about teen pregnancy, drugs, conflict resolution, anger management, and diversity," said Richard Marsh, coordinator of the group, who also happens to be the Community Development Director for the City of Romulus.

Contact Merry Heart Productions at 882-1616 or the Doubletree Hotel at 727-4868 for tickets or more information.

Torrence brothers convicted in liquor store robbery

Two Romulus brothers have been found not guilty of armed robbery following a trial in Wayne County Circuit Court. David Torrence, 19, and Antoine Torrence, 17, had been charged with assault with intent to rob armed and assault with intent to do great bodily harm following an incident at a Romulus liquor store on Eureka Road in October.

The two were convicted of a lesser charge- assault with intent to rob unarmed.

Inkster attorney, Steven Bullock, who represented David Torrence, indicated that "this case is another example of a gross overcharge by the Wayne County Prosecutor."

Sentencing is scheduled for June 27. Bullock hopes the judge will order probation. If convicted of the armed robbery charge, both brothers would have faced life in prison.

Blood challenge set for June 28

The American Red Cross will sponsor their 4th Annual Downriver Pint of Life Blood Challenge on June 28, from 1-7 p.m. at the Romulus Recreation Center. If you would like to donate blood which makes you elgible to win an entire set of year 2000 original Teenie Beanie Babies call 942-6852.

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NEWS FROM THE CITY OF WESTLAND

Smash-and-grab burglar escapes with cigarettes

A man escaped a gas station with boxes of cigarettes.

The burglar, a medium-to-small-built blond white man, who wore a tan or olive colored field jacket with a hood, broke into the Middlebelt Sunoco in Westland on a recent morning.

A security tape shows the man breaking in through a two-square-foot square hole in the wall at 2:55 a.m.

A large stone on the station's floor below the hole indicates that the burglar used the stone to bust the wall panel.

The tape shows the burglar grabbing all of the cigarettes that he could from a display rack.

But one minute later, his movements set off a motion sensor inside the station.

The alarm alerted police, who quickly responded. It also alerted the burglar, who fled through the hole and to a vehicle that was parked north of the building.

When an officer responded, he searched the station. It was empty.

The officer noted that cigarettes were scattered on the station's floor.

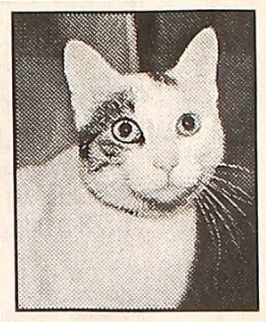
A police dispatcher contacted a Sunoco representative, who was summoned to the scene of the crime. He arrived at 4 a.m. And handed over the surveillance tape to the police officer.

The representation hung around to patch up the hole and make other repairs to secure the station from another break-in.

Since the representative didn't recognize the burglar, there are no suspects.

Anyone having any information about the burglary or the burglar is urged to call the Westland Detective Bureau at (734) 721-6311.

Here, kitty, kitty



Until the end of June, Adopt a Cat Month, the Michigan Humane Society is offering incentives to adopters. Adopt one cat and get a free Soft Paws cover hit. Adopt two cats and the second adoption fee is reduced by 50 percent. Adopters and their new cats will also be treated to a complimentary portrait sitting and 5-by-7-inch photograph from Master Photo. Call 313-565-6367 by July 21 to schedule a photo shoot with Don Nicholson at Master's Dearborn branch.

John Glenn High School teen wins burger scholarship

By IVAN HELFMAN
MCN Staff Writer

John Glenn High School senior Tiffany Bridges has been honored with a $1,000 Burger King Scholars Award based on a combination of scholastic achievement and community involvement. Burger King franchisee, Stephen Polsinelli, of Stevecon, announced Bridges award as part of the 2001 Burger King Scholars Program, which will present 1,078 seniors in the U.S., Puerto Rico and Canada with a total of $1,078,000 in scholarship funding. Funds raised in Schostak's Burger King restaurants during the past year went toward Bridges scholarship award.

According to John Glenn High School's Principal, Ms. Joan Sedik, Bridges scholastic achievements and extracurricular activities were part of several accomplishments.

The honoree is actively involved in Top Teens of Inkster and on the National Honor Society. Next fall, Bridges plans to use the scholarship award to attend Michigan State University

"Tiffany Bridges is an outstanding example of the high-caliber youth in this community and is certainly a role model with a promising future," said Polsinelli. "I am very proud that my managers and crew members were involved in Bridges winning this Burger King Scholars Award."

"The Burger King Scholars Program enables us to partner with our restaurants at the community level in order to touch and enrich the lives of hundreds of students in a significant and meaningful way," said franchisee, Michael F. De Rosa, Chairman of the Burger King/McLamore Foundation, which administers the Burger King Scholars Program.

Through the Burger King Scholars Program, the Foundation works with high school principals and counselors who choose deserving students who need financial help to attend college or postsecondary vocational school. To qualify for an award, a high school senior must maintain a 2.5 to 3.5 grade point average, work part-time, be involved in cocurricular or community service activities, and demonstrate financial need.

In its inaugural year 2000, the Burger King Scholars Program awarded 885 scholarships to students throughout the United States, Canada and Puerto Rico. With the 2001 awards, a grand total of 1,963 awards will have been given to deserving students to date.

For more information on the program or on how to apply for future scholarships, please contact the Burger King/McLamore Foundation at (305) 378-7155.

Congratulations On Your 50th Wedding Anniversary

On June 23, 2001 Ray and Janet McCahill will be celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary at Christ the King Catholic Church in Howard City Michigan. A celebration will be hosted by their children at the parish hall.

They were wed on June 23, 1951 at Holy Trinity Church in St. Louis Missouri, after Ray returned from the Phillipines while in the Air Force. Janet resided in St. Louis. They raised their family and attended St. Kevin's church in Inkster, while Ray worked at Auto Transport Inc. in Canton. They moved to Wayne when Janet took employment managing a small apartment complex. There they attended St. Mary's of Wayne.

Prior to retirement in 1992 they personally built their home in the Newaygo County.

They are proud parents of Michael, Ray, Steve, Larry and David. Their Thirteen Grandchildren and Two Great-Grandchildren keep them young.

A special Thanks to Paula, Cindy, Mellisa, Terri and Kathy not only for the beautiful Grandchildren but their efforts in this celebration. Good wishes may be sent to: Ray and Janet McCahill c/o General mail Newaygo, Michigan, 49337.

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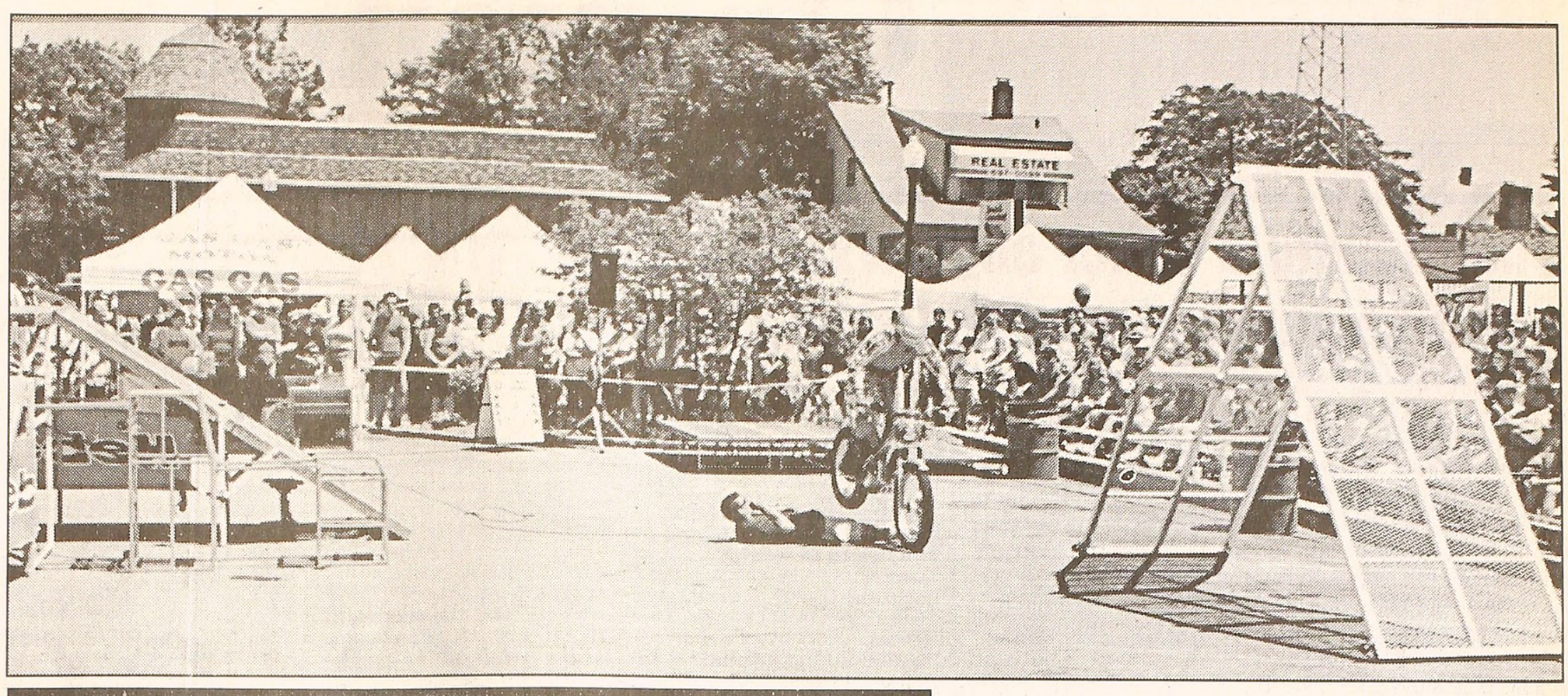
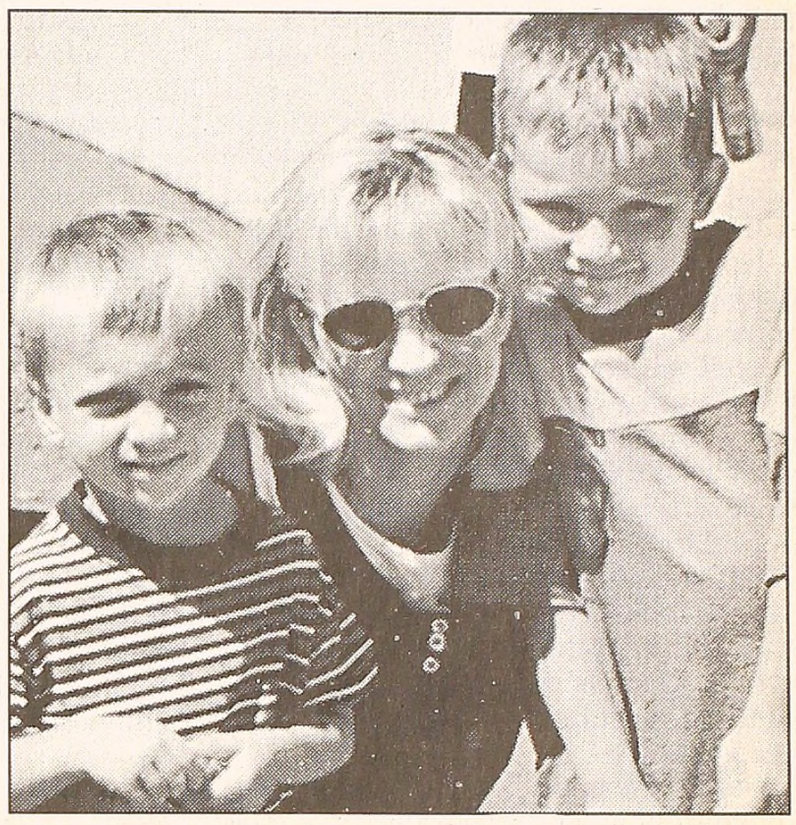
It was a berry good time!

Thousands flocked to one of the area's biggest summer festivals, the Belleville National Strawberry Festival held last weekend. Terrific weather, 270 exhibitors, a large midway, and nationally-recognized entertainment made this a record year for the festival.

Crowned Strawberry Festival Queen 2001 at the pageant held in the high school Friday night was Stephanie Shepard. First runner-up was Christine Childs. Placing third was Jennifer DeBuck.

Headlining the entertainment and parade was Team Extreme, a motorcycle daredevil group that tours the nation. A parade, water-skiing show, and continuous musical acts were enjoyed by the record crowd.





Photos (clockwise from the top)- A Team Extreme rider jumps a fan from the crowd on his way up a very tall ramp; Cheryl Mason of Belleville with sons Joshua and Jacob pose as the wait for the parade; Strawberry Festival Queen Stephanie Shepard with father, Brian, mother Nancy, and brother Scott; and the Eastern Michigan University mascot orders up flapjacks at the Rotary sponsored pancake breakfast. Photos by Stefanie Carano and Sybile Marr.

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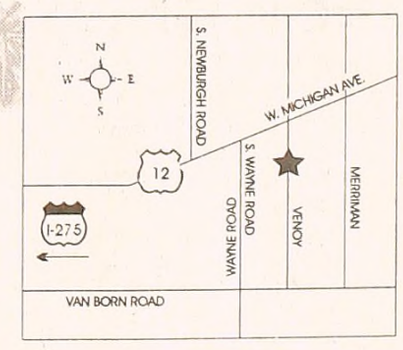

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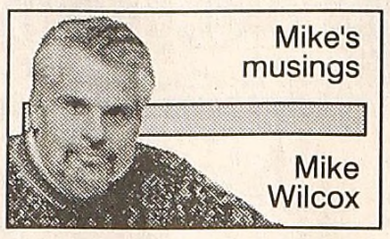


I'd like to tell you a little story about a parent being so involved in his daughter's extra-curricular activity, that he disrupted an entire school and sent the teacher advisor scurrying for his resignation papers.

This didn't happen in Western Wayne, thank God. Many of our school districts suffer from the opposite dilemma — too little involvement in our kids' affairs. This happened where many wacky events are taking place — Florida.

The true story goes like this. The yearbook staff at Satellite High School put the caption of captain under the wrong cheerleader in a posed picture of the cheerleaders. The mistake could not be corrected, because the yearbook had already been printed and was to be distributed within a week of discovering the mistake.

Now remember, these are students producing the yearbook, not professionals. I consider myself a professional and can not tell you how many typographical mistakes appear in an issue of our newspaper — dozens I'm sure. If this student yearbook staff managed to make only one mistake, they ought to be applauded.

Father of the cheerleading captain, Keith Williams, who also happens to be a lawyer, thought otherwise. He demanded that the mistake be corrected. When school officials refused, he filed an injunction to stop the distribution of the yearbook.

Before the court could say yea or nay, school officials purchased stickers and began placing them in the yearbook with Williams' daughters name, and the second word, Captain. The principal, assistant principal, teachers and the yearbook staff worked furiously to appease the wounded parent. It took hours to complete the task.

The yearbooks eventually got out, but advisor, Mark Schledorn, resigned. Schledorn was loved by his students and had been honored with numerous awards, as his classes produced one of the best yearbooks and newspapers, not only in Florida, but the nation. He had been an advisor at Satellite for not one, not five, but eleven years.

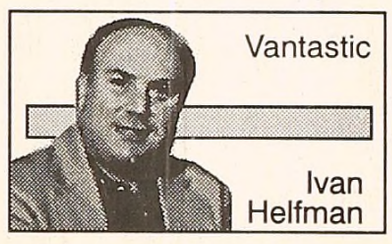
But, rightfully so, Schledorn told Williams he didn't need the grief. Schledorn works for free and can ply his trade at any school he chooses.

As a silent protest many students, upon receiving their yearbooks, simply ripped the altered page out of their yearbook. Most could not understand how one individual could do so much damage.

So in the end, the active parent, managed to anger an entire school, force a teacher to resign, and probably alienated his embarrassed daughter to no end. Additionally he wasted the time and money of school administrators, teachers and an overburdened justice system.

Next year, as yearbook sponsors all over the country begin to pick their editors, photographers, and writers, it might do them well to pick a staff lawyer. What has this world come to?

Review committee questions dodged



Pancakes played a huge part in my first Downriver story assignment.

Shortly after I started working for MCN, fresh from Oakland County, I received a call from a lady who kept a shrine somewhere south of Taylor.

"We have been blessed with many miracles," the lady said. "Visions of Jesus are appearing here."

Just then the country had been going through a short phase when the nightly network news programs were featuring pilgrimages to places where shadows of Jesus and bleeding statues of the Madonna had been seen.

Why not get in on the buzz, I thought, and headed Downriver to the Shrine on a dazzling summer afternoon.

Surprisingly, the little shrine, a old one-story building, was packed with women who came to pray by vigil light in a small chapel-gift shop or to give offerings to the lady who ran it.

The lady, who was in her seventies and tiny, greeted me dressed like a nun, her thin arms lost in the habit's sleeves. Speaking in a thick Polish accent, she called herself Sister Marie, even though she hadn't been ordained. Yet she talked of performing miracles and receiving a letter from the Pope, whom she expected to pop into the shrine any day.

I know this sounds nutty, but most of the pilgrims were believers in the Sister's powers. Many of them, who believed in the potency of Sister Marie's prayers, came to ask for a prayer or a cure.

"My cancer went away after she prayed for me," said one woman I saw hand the Sister a $1,200 check.

Others left food, clothes, furniture, or large appliances at the shrine. Some lolled about her yard, checking out the tree trunks for visions. An image of Jesus had last been seen atop a thick oak.

I tried to spot Him but His vision proved elusive until Sister Marie showed me Jesus's perch a few feet below where the main branches forked.

"Jesus appears in many places at the Shrine," she said "An image of His face is in a pancake."

The pancake was displayed in a case in the chapel. Sure enough, the image of a thin bearded face appeared in the pancake. I snapped a picture of the marvelous pancake and printed it on page one of Eyewitness with Sister Marie's story.

Perhaps I am a sucker for wannabe nuns, but I reported Sister Marie's miraculous claims. I had only asked friendly questions, no "60 Minutes" hatchet job.

Instead of being praised for my faith in a little old lady who had devoted her life to creating a holy shrine, a Sound Off accused me of gross blasphemy.

"You should send your reporter back to Sunday school," it said. "He can't tell the difference between the Lord and the Prince of Darkness. The face in the pancake is Westland Mayor Robert Thomas."

I bring this up because Monday night I was blasted by Mayor Thomas after Jon Plonski read a recent Sound Off from this paper to him.

The Sound Off caller had asked our staff to explain the mayor's informal review committee, a private planning agency that meets out of the public eye with prospective developers before their applications are heard by the planning commission.

Though this committee has met with the Golden Corral applicants and others, nobody outside of the secret society and the applicants knows what happens there — other than planning decisions seem arbitrary. In this atmosphere, the Sound Off caller raised questions about the committee's members, powers, and legitimacy.

I didn't know the answers, so I asked readers in the know to contact me and explain what was going on behind closed doors.

At Monday night's Westland City Council meeting, Plonski read the Sound Off and asked Mayor Thomas to answer the questions.

Instead of answering, Mayor Thomas went off on me.

While the mayor, who was dressed in a black shirt and a neon tie, looked more like something out of "Guys and Dolls" than the face in the pancake, his answer to Plonski's questions were about as real as the pancake's face.

Having publically denied any knowledge of his review committee, the mayor obviously can't explain why the committee has been placed at beginning of the planning process instead of the planning department, who must, for the sake of fairness and accountability, keep a formal record.

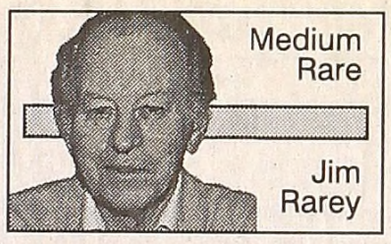
While I might have been everything that the mayor insinuated, I don't see what his opinion of me, right or wrong, has to do with the way planning is subverted in Westland to the detriment of residents and potential developers.

Nor do I see why a simple question about planning from a World War II veteran and a retired UAW worker could set off a balanced mayor.

During a recent planning fiasco brought on by the review committee's influence, Councilwoman Eileen Dehart said, "Something is fishy."

Thank God for that fish taint. Without it we'd never know when the kingfish is rotting.

Is fungible a naughty word?



Granted it's not a word that often comes up in every day conversation, but this writer has been using it for over five decades. Yet, when I consulted my dictionary (Webster's New World Dictionary and Thesaurus – 1996 by Simon & Schuster) for an exact definition, it was not there.

That is a significant omission. The word should be a part of every person's vocabulary for it is the key to understanding the scams being perpetrated by government at every level and even some well respected charities and other organizations. (On further reflection, maybe that's why it has been dropped from some dictionaries.)

Often, an example is more useful than a definition. If you and I each pour one glass of water into a pitcher, we now have the combined volume of each of our contributions in the pitcher. Is it now possible for either of us to retrieve the same water we poured into the pitcher? Of course not. While we could get back the same amount of water, it will not be the same water originally put into the pitcher. It will be a mixture of the two. That is because water is "fungible." It loses its unique identity when combined with other quantities of water.

So it is with money. When government collects various taxes and throws the money into one big "pitcher" called the general fund, can it say which of its numerous expenditures came from a particular type of tax? No. No more than you can say you got the same water back from the pitcher that you put in.

Yet the federal government pretends it can identify how money collected from Social Security taxes, (which goes into the general fund) is spent. (The so-called "trust" fund is nothing but a bookkeeping entry with IOU's in it.)

The Michigan Education Fund is a combination of general fund money, sales taxes, lottery money and the new state property tax. Who can say which taxes are supporting which programs?

The United Way charities (national in scope) receive and distribute donations on a regional basis. They tell donors they can "designate" which charity they want to receive their donation. But the distribution to the various charities is based on "budgets" developed independently from "designated" contributions. Since so few donors name a particular charity, the designations are meaningless.

The latest example of the "fungibility" hypocrisy is a proposal by two Michigan State Representatives that would allow the City of Romulus to apply a tax of $.05 per gallon on hazardous liquid waste injected into a mile-deep well in the city.

The city has been fighting approval of the well by state and federal authorities (which appears imminent) and has spent over $1 million for fees to attorneys who told the city it would lose. Of course the legislation would prohibit the city from using the taxes collected from the well owners to support lawsuits against the well owners. That money would have to come from "other" general fund revenue!

Evidently "fungible" is a dirty word, at least to some in the government.

LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Police Chief Price thanks standoff helpers

To the editor:

On June 11, 2001, at approximately 3:20 p.m., the Westland Police Department responded to a domestic situation in the 2000 block of Darwin St.

It was reported that shots were fired; an individual was injured in the house, and had barricaded himself in an upstairs bathroom.

Westland Officers and Westland Firefighters responded to the scene, along with Westland's Tactical Response Unit (TRU) and Westland's Fire Department's Tactical Emergency Medical Support (TEMS).

Negotiations started and after along stand off the subject surrendered his weapon and exited the home.

This letter is Westland Police Department's way of thanking all the residents who cooperated with us in this long 4-hour situation. These people brought the officers water, offered food, allowed us to use their facilities, and one couple gave us permission to use their upstairs bedroom window to observe the location.

This situation could have been more tragic than it was, but Ofc. Hochstein, Ofc. Kummert, and Sgt Kennedy, with Ofc. Hochstein as the primary negotiator, were successful in talking the suspect out of the home.

Without the assistance of the citizens, this situation would have been much tougher on the officers.

On behalf of all the members of the Westland Police, and to Chief Mike Reddy of the Fire Department thank you all for your help.

Sincerely,
Emery Price
Westland Chief of Police

Strict drinking laws often have unattended consequences

To the editor:

Let me introduce myself. My name is Bill Ventola, and I am the Coordinator for Consumer Awareness and Education for Central Distributors of Beer, Inc., the Anheuser Busch wholesaler for Western Wayne County.

What a great editorial you wrote this week. It made me smile as well as pointed out how some of the laws intended to promote moderation actually promote just the opposite.

We both realize prohibitions and restrictions make the forbidden fruit more appealing, and that education and understanding do so much more than lowering the legal BAC.

It does seem ridiculous that someone who can vote, serve in the armed forces, and buy a gun cannot legally have a drink of alcohol.

We here at Central are really serious about promoting the responsible use of our products, and the opinions in your editorial do a great job in helping us do that.

Keep up the good work,
Bill Ventola

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LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Wayne-Westland schools should teach lesson plans, not the MEAP

To the editor:

I am amazed every time I speak to parents who complain about the level of education our children receive as students in the Wayne-Westland School District. With the political turmoil our city has been through over the last year with the recent recall, and the most recent presidential election, one would think that our citizens should understand the importance of voting. Every vote counts!

Yet voter turnout was scant in comparison to the registered voters for the cities of both Wayne and Westland. To those who voted, I say thank you. To those who did not, I say shame on YOU!

I attended the most recent Wayne-Westland Board of Education meeting. I sat and listened to the presentations regarding the purchase of new math materials and curriculum that have been revised to reflect the state standards. The estimated cost to our district is $600,000; and Sam Barresi, assistant superintendent for instruction, said, "The aim is to encourage critical thinking" and "MEAP scores are expected to improve."

Part of the presentation included the fact that many teachers are excited about doing summer in-service to learn how to use and teach these materials to students when school begins in the fall. To those teachers willing to spend part of their summer vacation doing that, I applaud your dedication to our children.

However, I recall reading in the Detroit News a few weeks back that the state funding for summer school would be extended for this year. At the time, I read it I wondered why parents are required to pay up to $170 per class to send their child to summer school. Now I am wondering if this state funding of summer school is being used for teacher in-service summer programs rather than students who need to attend summer school classes.

Another important thought, to me at least, is looking back on the uncountable times I have heard the school board members, principals and teachers make statements that parents need to help their children with homework. I agree, if they are able to.

However, one must ask themselves two questions. First, if our teachers are already educated and state certified, how difficult is the new material? And second, how many parents have the educational background to help their children with homework that even the teachers must attend classes to learn? I have a college degree and my child's knowledge surpasses my own in math. Yet I am expected to help him? I personally find that quite bizarre.

The Detroit News and Standard and Poor rated Wayne-Westland School District poorly, in my opinion. I would hope that other parents with children in our district take the information compiled to heart and pay attention in the future.

I have had several concerns and complaints with Wayne-Westland since the 1998-1999 school year that have not been addressed by the district. Some of which, I believe, go right to the core of our M.E.A.P. tests and scores.

Time and time again I have brought up the use of inadequate teaching materials used by one specific teacher who taught my son in four of his sixth-grade classes. Many of these materials were geared for early elementary students (first and second grade) and most, if not all, grammar dittos clearly say "grade five grammar." She continued to use them and was not held accountable for her lack of teaching curriculum the state required for a sixth-grade education. Why?

I was rather irritated when my child brought home a summer program packet titled "Sail to Seventh" that, on page one, underlined and in all caps states: "It is very important that materials are completed over the course of the summer . . . to comply with state program guidelines." This book focuses on areas for the seventh-grade MEAP tests.

At the time, I called the Michigan Department of Education to inquire about the packet and the reference to the "state program guidelines." The woman I spoke to knew nothing about the booklet or the guidelines it made reference to. I found page one to be misleading to parents and I have since questioned the real purpose of these booklets.

I brought this up at the board of education meeting and I found Cindy Schofield's response to my inquiry insulting to every parent. I believe most parents encourage their children to read books and do more than "watch TV, play video games or ride their bikes" over the summer.

It is my opinion and belief that these summer packets were designed by the district to indicate areas that should be focused on to improve student MEAP scores the following year. It should be no surprise to see the information in the Detroit News articles on MEAP cheating.

Perhaps it isn't cheating at all. Perhaps it is the fact that two or three weeks prior to taking the MEAP tests our children are taught how to take it, advised of what is expected and essentially crammed with MEAP. Thus taking away from the regular curriculum and forcing them to remember specific things.

Mr. Barresi said at the board of education meeting "kids have to be able to think and solve problems." If we are suppose to be teaching critical thinking skills to our children, and we trust that they're getting that on a daily basis in the classroom and at home, then there should be no need for the MEAP cramming prior to MEAP testing.

In reading the many articles on the suspected MEAP cheating districts it was said cheating is suspected due to similar answers. Examples are: L'Anse Creuse School District, officials said they found irregularities in 23 student responses to two questions on a social studies test. Six fifth-graders at Pinewood Elementary in Warren Woods came under suspicion because of similar responses on a MEAP writing test. It was said that all six students were teamed in a group pre-writing exercise before they took the test.

If educators are confident that they are teaching the appropriate curriculum required by the state, and the skills necessary for our children to be successful, then why are they so compelled, statewide, to push our children toward preparing for MEAP testing a few weeks prior to taking the MEAP tests?

Personally, it makes me wonder if perhaps the future school funding from the state will be linked solely to MEAP results. Which is yet another reason why I still question the continued employment in this school district of a teacher who has, and probably still continues to use, inadequate teaching materials to educate our children.

I believe our board of education and our superintendent must take their own responsibility to ensure that we indeed have the best staff and materials for our students. While I believe that the majority of teachers in our district are outstanding, I believe there is a rotten apple award due one teacher for many reasons.

I would like to reiterate what I was saying at the board of education meeting when Mr. Eisiminger so rudely said "cut her off, cut her off." I still have my boxes of materials and documentation that validate my complaints with regard to this specific teacher.

I invite any of our board members and Dr. Baracy to view them if they can manage to pull their heads out of the sand called avoidance, because I will not go away as long as I reside in this school district.

In closing, I would like to say to parents of children in the Wayne-Westland School District; pay attention to who the decision makers are in your community with regard to local government and your schools. You're paying the bill so take the time to know what you're paying for and voice your opinion at the polls and at the lecterns if necessary.

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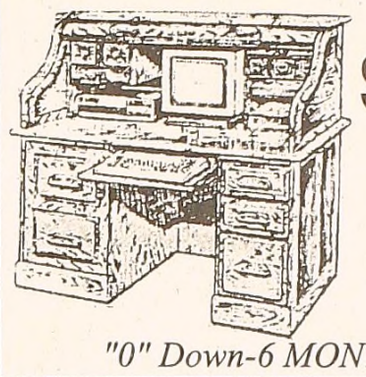
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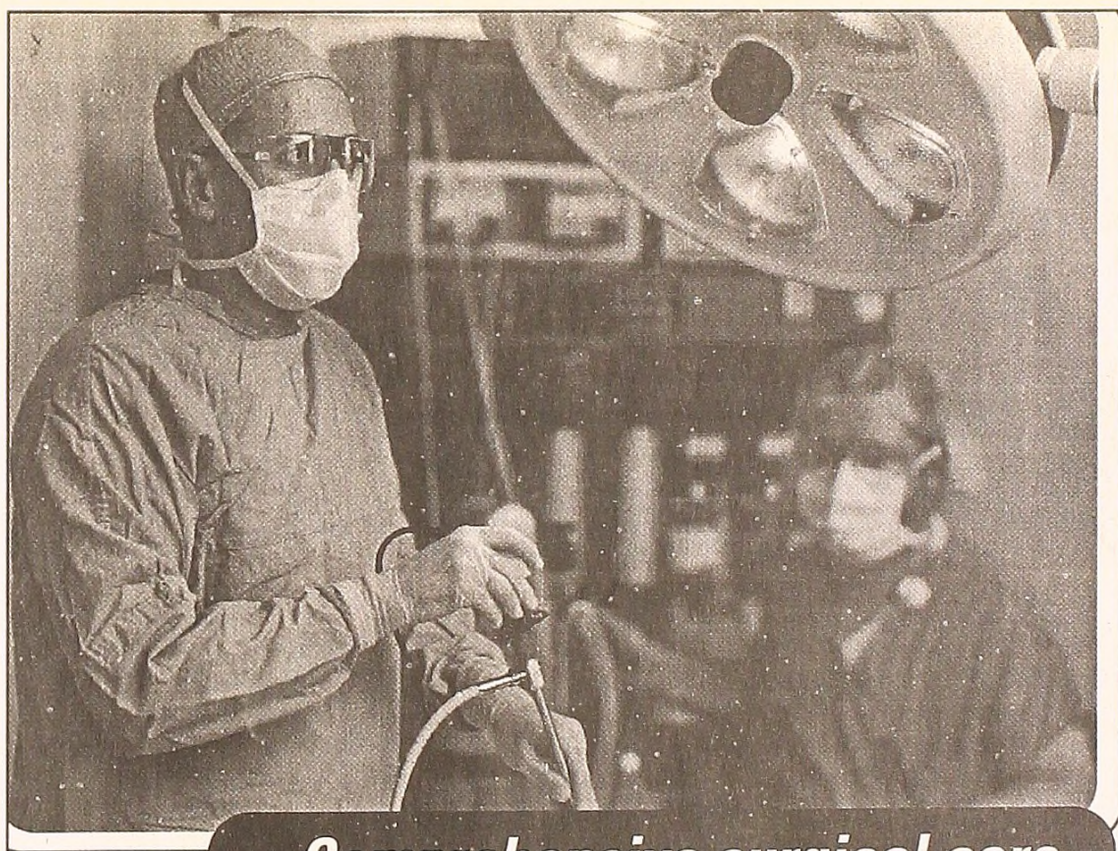
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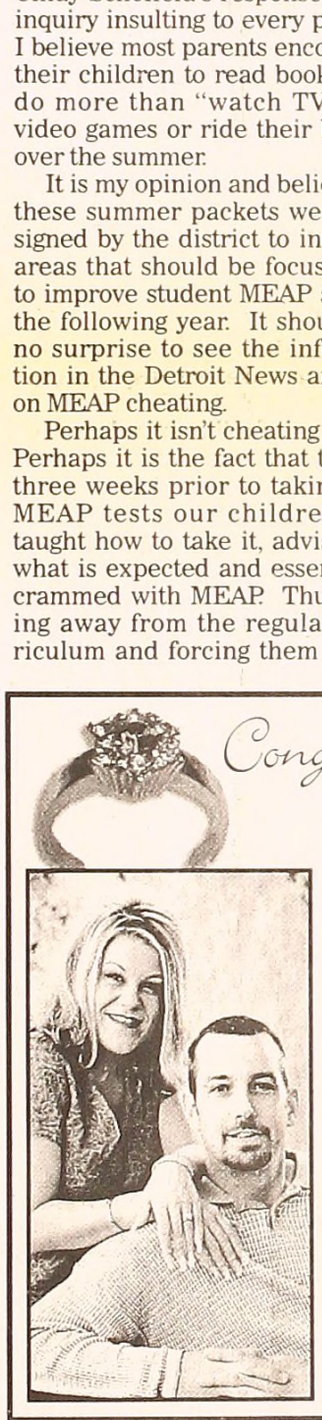

Kimberly L. Cook of Westland and Timothy E. Snyder also of Westland, was wed on June 1, 2001 at St. Richards Church in Westland.

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Kennerlys to speak at church

Revs. Robert and Ortheia Barnes Kennerly will be the featured speakers at the 2001 Men and Women's Day at Parks Memorial African Methodist Episcopal (A.M.E.) Church in Romulus. The speech-service will be held on June 24, at 4 p.m. at the church, located three blocks south of I-94.

The Kennerlys founded Spirit-Love Ministries, International in 1998. Evangelist Ortheia Barnes-Kennerly is well-known in the Detroit area for her powerful vocal stylings, having appeared in TV and radio commercials promoting the City of Detroit and the United Way.

Rev. Robert & Ortheia Barnea Kennerly

VISTA workers will help teach summer school in Romulus. First row from left to right: Alexis Houston, Crystal Barger, Wuneetha Stevens, Katie Kawel and Jennifer Hoffman. Second row: D'aun Dawson, Kelly Abdo, Nicole McMurdy, Sarah Musham, Carleton McCauley, Kristen Owens, Sarah Frame, Kim Mingo, and Shyam Patel.

Extensive summer school plan offered

The Romulus Community School District is offering an extensive summer school program for students of all grades, beginning June 25.

Romulus Curriculum Director Tom Dolan was able to secure fifteen VISTA helpers through a special grant as well as help from the Ann Arbor Art Museum and the Cranbrook Science Institute.

Deanna Forester, Director of the 21st Century Program, indicates that the VISTA helpers will be used in the afternoon at the Boys and Girls Club sites, as wells as helping students with reading and math in the mornings.

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The Gifted and Talented program at Merriman Elementary will have two sessions and include classes on silk screening, puppetry, computers, creative writing and German. The second session will focus on Astronomy, drama and sculpture.

Metro adding sixth runway

Detroit Metropolitan Airport is placing finishing touches on a new runway—actually the only new runway to be built at a major U.S. airport this year.

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Zilka Homemaker of the Year

While most of us are thinking Strawberry Fest, plans are being made to make this year's Wayne County Fair one of the best ever. One of the honorees expected to make it a big impression at the fair this year is the 2000-2001 Homemaker of the Year for the State of Michigan, Mrs. Garnet Zilka.

Zilka is the first representative of Wayne County to win this honor. Zilka, from Romulus, is the wife of Leonard Zilka. She is the mother of three and the grandmother of five.

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OBITUARIES

ANDERSON, JEWEL, 70 of Inkster (born in Oklahoma, MS to Fred and Ellen Smith), passed away May 5. She leaves to cherish her memory daughter, Linda; grandchildren, Lawanda, Nicole, and Steven; great-grandchildren Brandon, Zhonai, Devon, and Saint; three sisters; one brother; family and friends. Services were held at Penn Funeral Home with Rev. Hardy Johnson officiating. Interment followed at Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton.

BAKER, GILBERT L., 81 of Romulus (born in Goodlettsville, TN to Annie and Jessie Baker), passed away May 16. He served in the Navy during WWII and was awarded the Navy Unit Commendation for outstanding heroism. He leaves behind to cherish his memory children Joyce, Gilbert, and Gary; grandsons Damien, Terrance, and Shawn; nephew Kenneth; family and friends. Arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home with services held at First Baptist Church of Romulus with Rev. Charles Woolridge officiating.

BENNETT, BETTY, 53 of Inkster (born in Plummerville, AK to Occola and Carrie Donald), passed away May 4. She leaves behind her mother, Carrie; son, Lance; niece, Ebonie; step-son, Tommie; step-daughter, Patricia; family and friends. Arrangements by Penn Funeral Home with services held at Messias Temple in Ypsilanti, with Elder harry Grayson officiating.

BLANTON, ISABELLE C., 69 of Westland, passed away May 16. Loving mother of Linda Perkins, Cyndie (Dennis) Milligan, Dorrie (Bob) Mathiak, Keith Clarke, Mary Clarke; stepchildren Katherine Clarke, Donald Clarke Jr., Carole (Dale) Burger, and Mark Anthony Blanton Jr. Dear sister of William Webster. Grandmother of twenty-five and great-grandmother of five. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Pastor Richard Pingilley officiating. Interment followed at Glenwood Cemetery, Wayne.

BOYD, TONY L., 88 of Inkster (born in Wetumpka, AL to Tony and Evaline Boyd) passed away May 21. He was a pitcher for the Birmingham Black Barons and Detroit Stars Negro League Baseball Teams. He leaves to rejoice his memory his daughter Sheila Boyd Garwood; grandchildren Paul and Stephanie; great-grandchildren Christopher, Alexander, and Alexandria; family and friends. Services were held at Penn Funeral Home with Rev. Terry Hister officiating. Interment followed at Knollwood Memorial Park.

BROWN, JOHN A., 54 of Romulus massed away May 29. Loving husband of Robin Brown. Dearest father of Ms. Carly E. Brown of Dearborn Hts. Beloved brother of Mr. Ron (Cherie) D. Brown of Nichlosville, KY; Mr. James M. Brown of Dearborn Hts.; and Mr. Larry W. Brown of Beaver Creek, Ohio. Loving grandfather of Alyson. He was a member of the Dearborn #172 Masonic Lodge and of the Calvary Baptist Church. Funeral services were held at Crane Funeral Home with Rev. Marvin Hawbaker officiating. Interment followed at Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia.

BUTLER, LUCILLE, 67 of Inkster (born in Anderson, SC to Lucious and Dorothy Pickens), passed away May 17. She was a Foster grandparent of Inkster. She leaves behind to cherish her memory son Charles Jr.; sisters Mildred and Cornelia (Ivy); uncle Robert; family and friends. Arrangements made by Penn Funeral Home with services held at Pilgrims Travelers Baptist Church with Rev. Charlie Knighten officiating. Interment followed at Knollwood Memorial Park.

COAPMAN, DULCIE IDA, 86 of Westland, passed away May 22. Dear wife of the late Edgan Coapman. Dearest mother of Dr. Robert (Mary) Coapman. Dear sister of Leroy Case. Loving grandmother of William Anthony Coapman and the late Lance Corporal Christopher David Coapman. Funeral Services were held at the First Congregational Church, Wayne with Rev. Robert Joy officiating. Interment followed at Southern Michigan Services, Livonia. Arrangements handled by Uht Funeral Home.

CREVIER, CLIFFORD DAVID, 66 of Romulus, passed away May 16. Loving husband of Nancy Crevier. Beloved father of John Crevier, Jody (Ivana) Crevier, Jill Crevier Watkins, and Joel (Jennifer) Crevier. Dear brother of Rosalie Pawlak. Dear grandfather of Crystal, Cassi, Bradley, Cayla, Cody, and Megan. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Rev. Robert White officiating. Interment followed at Glenwood Cemetery, Wayne.

CROSS, MARGARET, 51 of Southfield (born in Lebanon, TN to James and Anna Mae Harvey), passed away May 5. She loved to sing in her church choir. She leaves behind to mourn her passing her husband of over 34 years, James; parents, Anna and James; siblings, James, Bernard, patricia, and Judith; children, Gregory, Kelly, and Paula; grandchildren Dominique, Aaron, Xavier, Joseph, and Aniyah; family and friends. Arrangements made by Penn Funeral Home with services held at Gethsamane Baptist Church. Cremation rite have been accorded.

DeMARA, JOHN S. "Jack", 74 of Wayne, passed away May 27. Beloved husband of Susan F. (Rowlader) DeMara. Dear father of John R. DeMara of Westland and Mark T. DeMara of Romulus. Dear brother of Shirley (Ray) Deuschle of California, Betty Pitcher of Allen Park, James (Dorothy) DeMara of Branch, Jo Ann Whitehead of Florida, and Mary Ann (Ray) Verrot of Florida. Dear grandfather of five. Dear son of the late Walter J. and Albina (Sova) DeMara. Preceded in death by his daughter Cynthia Ann, one sister, and two brothers. He was retires from the Wayne County Road Commission after 30 years. He was also a member of the Trinity Episcopal Church. He also served his country in the U.S. Navy. Funeral services were held at David C. Brown Funeral Home with Rev. Sarah J. Boelter officiating. Cremation rites have been accorded. Memorial contributions can be made in his name to the Angela Hospice.

DEMING, RONALD E., 89 of Wayne, passed away May 18. Beloved husband of Irene. Dear father of Ronald (Virginia) and Ralph. dear Brother of Calvin, Mary Towne, Cora brooks, Florence Kamenski, Joann Sloop, and Barbara Kerr. Dear grandfather of four and great-grandfather of six. Funeral services were held at Harry J. Will Funeral Home with interment at Parkview Memorial Cemetery.

FIRST, LAVINA C., 92 of Wayne, passed away May 18. Beloved wife of the late George. Beloved mother of Connie (Jack) Bledsoe, Anne Port of Pennsylvania and the late Joyce Betz and Jack McElwain. Dear sister of the late Paul, Robert, and Charles Wakefield and Emma Devore. Dear grandmother of sixteen, great-grandmother of 30, and great-great-grandmother of three. Funeral services were held at Harry J. Will Funeral Home with interment at Glenwood Cemetery.

GAGNON, RUBY IRENE, 70 of Wayne, passed away May 27. Dear wife of the late Reginald Gagnon. Loving mother of Gina (Tom) Sobota, Sharon (Robert) Wooley, Reggie Gagnon. and Janet Gagnon. Dear sister of Rosie Fellows, Robert Huffstutter, Harold Huffstutter, Ann Cooksey, Judy Klinginsmith, Zella Whitney, the late George Huffstutter, the late Thelma Hamilton, the late James Huffstutter, and the late Helen Huffstutter. Funeral services were held at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Wayne with Father Jack Baker officiating. Arrangements handled by Uht Funeral Home. Interment followed at Cadillac Memorial Gardens West, Westland.

HALE, LAURA V., 49 of Westland, passed away May 21. Beloved wife of Garry Hale. Dear mother of Ethel Marie Hale of Colorado, Debbie Ray Hale of Romulus, Tammy Lyne (Scott) Corpe of Romulus, Garry Alvin Hale of Romulus, and Hillie Eugene Hale of Westland. Dear daughter of the late Eugene Spencer and Laura (Lietz) Coffman of Romulus. Dear daughter-in-law of Joan Hale of Monroe. Dear sister of Clifford (Gloria) Coffman of Romulus, Billie (Carol) Coffman of Ypsilanti, and Robert (Kelie) Coffman of Romulus; stepsister of Donna Spencer of Woodhaven and Stacey Spencer of Woodhaven. Dear grandmother of five. Funeral services were held at David C. Brown Funeral Home with Rev. Charles R. Bishop officiating. Cremation rites have been accorded.

HELL, NORMAN EARL, 78 of Westland, passed away May 27. Loving husband of Elizabeth Hell. Beloved father of John (Diane) Hell, Kevin (Mabel) Hell, Todd Hell, and Travis (Robin) Hell. Dear brother of Walter and Alfred Hell. Dearest grandfather of Dan Hell, Erin Hell, Melissa Hell, Jeff Hell, Spencer Hell, and great-grandfather of Dan Hell. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Rev. David J. Powles officiating. Interment followed at Cadillac Memorial Gardens West, Westland. Contributions can be made in his honor to the Hospice of Southeast Michigan.

JACKSON, OLIVE, 68 of Westland, passed away May 25. Dear wife of the late Fred Jackson. Loving mother of Debbie Dormanen, Dane, Diane, Denise, Donna, and Don. Dear sister of Clarice McGahey and Don Kendrick. Also survived by ten grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Rev. Bob McDonald officiating. Interment followed at Cadillac Memorial Gardens West, Westland.

KEON, MARGARET, 70 of Belleville, passed away May 30. Beloved wife of Patrick W. Keon. Dear mother of Thomas P. (Margaret) Keon, Judith A. Keon, and Susan M. Hook all of Belleville. Dear daughter of the late Walter and Frances (Kubinski) Venclewicz. Dear sister of Stanley Venclewicz of Wayne and Dorothy Venclewicz of Belleville. Dearest grandmother of Eric Hook, Ryan Keon, Stacy Hook, Brad Keon, Jeff Keon, Kelly Keon, and Amy Hook all of Belleville. Dearest great-grandmother of Jimmy Hook and Emily Hook. Preceded in death by her parents, sisters Frances Bury and Martha Taylor, and brothers Lan Venclewicz and Leonard Venclewicz. She made dolls for the Church to be used for the Strawberry Festival, she also enjoyed crocheting. Her grandchildren were her pride and joy. Funeral services were held at David C. Brown Funeral Home with Father Thomas Cusick officiating. Cremation rites have been accorded.

KERSEY, MIA NICOLE, 2 of Canton (born to Deon Kersey and Latrice Coleman in Garden City), passed away May 12. Even though she was born with a heart condition her spirit to live was strong. She leaves behind to cherish her memory her parents Deon and Latrice; sister, Rita Kersey; brother, Deon Jr.; grandparents Mrs. Christine Goodwin, Malzetta Coleman, and Larry Fredrick; four great-grandmothers; three great-grandfathers; family and friends. Arrangements made by Penn Funeral Home with services held at Peoples Community Baptist Church with Rev. John Heam officiating.

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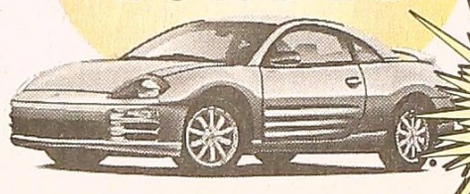

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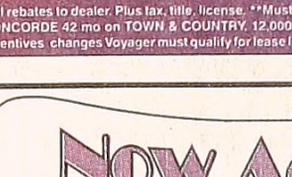

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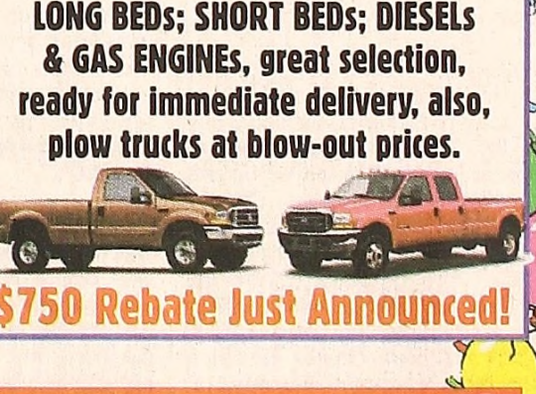

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Canton is crowned queen of Michigan soccer

Morrell's 3 goals, defense jolt Troy

It's a Cinderella story, of sorts.

And truly a fitting climax to an incredible Plymouth-Canton girls' soccer season.

Plymouth-Canton on Saturday before the home crowd was crowned the queen of the Michigan High School soccer world thanks to a come-from-behind victory over a traditionally powerful Troy team.

Down 1-0 early against archrivals, Canton exploded behind Anne Morrell's three goals and its defense to turn back Troy, 3-1, to capture their third state title in three years before a crowd estimated at 2,000 who flocked to the Plymouth-Canton high school's field on an unseasonably warm and humid day.

Temperatures hovered in the high 80's and low 90's for most the game.

"We showed that we are the best team in the state," Morrell screamed after the victory over Troy.

And no one could dispute Morrell's statement. She and her teammates went out and proved they're the best with their triumph over Troy.

The Chiefs did win and more. They proved that they could come-from-behind against a team that was a pre-season favorite to go all the way.

And it was Troy that drew first blood as Lauren Skinner fired the first salvo in what became a bloody battle as injuries claimed key players.

At 19:25 in the first half, Skinner gave Troy a 1-0 lead. Skinner knocked in a deflected ball past Canton goaltender, Briana Wolcott, to lift the visitors to a quick 1-0 lead.

Troy goalkeeper Katie Perz became the first casualty of the battle. In a race for a loose ball, Perz collided with two players and she came out with gash. Troy called in Natalie Kotowski to take over the crucial position.

The scene stunned the crowd momentarily.

When action resumed Canton threatened but found the road to Troy's goal precarious. An inspired Troy refused to yield, at first. The Chiefs could not get through the maze of Troy defenders who focused more of their attention on the explosive and aggressive Morrell.

Morrell got the Canton fans on their feet after she hustled in a perfect pass from teammate Janine Guastella, then drilled the ball past the Troy goaltender for the Chiefs' initial score of the game.

It was, as the announcer says, "a whole new ball game."

The pendulum definitely swung in Canton's direction the second half.

With the score at one apiece, the two teams sparred the rest of the half with Wolcott coming through for the Chiefs in clutch situations.

Canton coach Don Smith later commented that he thought Wolcott stood out in goal for the Chiefs. He admitted he was "pretty scare" after Troy knocked in their first, and what proved to be, its only goal of the game.

"They scared me half to death in that first half," the veteran coach offered.

It was Morrell and the Chiefs who broke the 1-1 deadlock. The dexterous Morrell rammed in a rebound that flew past the goalie into the nets and gave the state champ the lead (2-1) for good.

For insurance sake, and making sure that the glass slipper fit her perfectly, Morrell wore her MVP crown as she wrapped up her prep soccer career with her 40th goal. That one went down in the record book with 12:48 left in the season.

Troy could not mobilize a counter-offensive due, in part, to the superlative Canton defense and the net-minding of Wolcott.

The victory in the state finals brought down an 18-3-1 overall season for Coach Don Smith and the Chiefs.

WBA names baseball managers

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

The Wayne Baseball Association announced the managerial lineups for the 2001 summer season.

The WBA fields scores of ball clubs, ages 5 to 18, in a variety of leagues.

Bryon Mullins, who is the Commissioner for the Sheatland League, ages 5 and 6, has named the following team managers: Kelly Johnson (Orioles), David Fritz (Marlins), Aaron Stewart (Braves), Mark Dennis (Cardinals), Keith Klesnowski (Devil Rays), Penny LaBean (Pirates), Mike McWilliams (Royals), and Craig Vowles (Tigers).

Lisa Timm, who serves as the Pinto League Commissioner, released the following names of managers for the 7,8, and 9 year old league: Wayne Harris (Orioles), Ray Gabbert (Braves), Mike Shelton (Cardinals), Mark Crandall (Devil rays), Dennis Franklin (Marlins), Mark Watercamp (Pirates), Kevin Gregory (Royals) and Tim McGuire (Tigers).

Jeff Auer, who serves as the Mustang Commissioner, says the 9-10 year old league managers include: Barry Rafferty (Athletics), David Fritz (Braves), Dave Schoffield (Cardinals), Craig Turner (Devil rays), Dave Berry (Marlins), Eric Shirley (Pirates), Don Voitkofsky (Royals) and Al Saling (Tigers).

Bronco Conference Commissioner Tim Brayman has a five-team league this season. The managers, for the 11-12 year olds, are: Jeff Bayer (Athletics), Kevin Jantovsky (Pirates), Kevin Pryor (Cardinals), Eric Turnbull (Royals), and Bryon Mullins (Tigers).

The Pony Commissioner for the 2001 season is Jeff Auer. Team managers are Don Sullivan (Pony Red team) and B. G. Raines (Pony Green team). Players are 13 and 14 years old in this league.

The WBA will field one team in each of the Colt (15 and 16 year olds) and Palamino (17 and 18) leagues. Jeff Auer is Colt Commissioner and Skip Monit is Colt manager.

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Managers who wish to submit their team's score sheets to the *Michigan Community Newspapers'* Sports Staff may do so before 5 p.m. on Friday in order to get their team results in the newspaper. They may also contact the Sports Desk at 734-729-4000 for further information.

State soccer champs

To paraphrase senior Anne Morrell's, Plymouth-Canton showed on Saturday that it is the home to the best girls' high school soccer team in the State of Michigan. Coach Don Smith's Chiefs captured their third state title in five years by turning back Troy, 3-1, in the Division I state finals. Morrell scored all three of her team's goal. Canton brought the curtains down on an sterling 18-3-1 season.

Ajlouny earns pitching berth on all conference

In the wake of their successful seasons, three local high school baseball stars were selected to the 2001 Western Lakes Conference's All-League Teams.

The trio, recently picked All-Area by *The Michigan Community Newspapers'* Sports Staff, includes John Glenn's junior pitcher, Brandon Ajlouny, Plymouth-Canton's outstanding infielder and the only local player to be named to the All-Star lineup, Oliver Wolcott, and the area's premier outfielder, Plymouth-Salem's Chris Trott.

Ajlouny posted an 8-2 record in leading the Rockets to a 19-12 overall record and a second place in their division (Lakes).

Wolcott, a senior, will be playing for the East-West All-Star Game on July 9 in Comerica Park.

Trott batted an incredible .495 for the 2001 season, the tops for the area. According to his coach, Dale Rumberger, "he (Trott) is one of the best hitters I have ever coached." Rumberger's coaching career spans nearly 25 years.

Ajlouny and Farmington Hills Harrison's Matt Zatkin were named the top two pitchers in the conference by the coaches this year.

The All-Conference lineup also includes catcher Brian Campbell (Senior, Livonia Stevenson), infielders Drew Stanton (Junior, Harrison), Paul Price (Senior, Walled Lake Western), Wolcott (Senior, Plymouth-Canton) and first baseman Tim Doig (Senior, Harrison).

The All-Conference outfield is made up of Trott (Senior, Salem), Tony Luttman (Junior, Farmington), Ryan Tracy (Senior, Livonia Franklin) and multi-talented Livonia Franklin's Joe Ruggiero was picked by the coaches as the At-Large member of the mythical ball club.

Here is the lineup for the year 2001 Lakes All-Division Team: Pitchers - Tim Oliver (Senior, Stevenson) and Kevin O'Bierne (Junior, Plymouth-Salem); Catcher - Josh Day (Senior, John Glenn); Infielders - Pete Pinto (Senior, Stevenson), Chris Chesney (Junior, Farmington), and Dennis Kinerman (Senior, Walled Lake Central); Outfielders - Dan Wilson (Senior, Stevenson), Dave Mijal (Senior, John Glenn), Justin Barnett (Senior, Plymouth-Salem). The At-Large Player is Chad Goethe (Senior, Plymouth-Salem).

The All-Western Division roster includes: Pitchers - Rob Whipple (Junior, Harrison) and Mike Pisha

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Wolves feast on 2 big baseball tourney titles

The Wayne Wolves have jumped off to a fast start this season, winning two baseball invitational championships.

Standing between the Wayne Wolves and the Rock Valley `Super Series' Baseball title in the season's opening tournament was a determined and proven ball club, the undefeated Rockford Hitmen.

But the tournament-experienced Wolves didn't flinch from their goal to win their season's inaugural tournament title. The Wolves crushed the Rockford ball club, 7-3, to capture their 2001 season's first tournament championship.

Then, on Saturday, the Wolves also traveled to Trenton where they met the razor-sharp Tomahawks and won their second consecutive tournament championship in as many weeks after sweeping the four-game series.

"The kids did a fine job," said Manager Bill Hardin. "But we won't have time to reflect on the past - there are still a lot of games to be played."

The Wolves opened the `Super Series' with a 6-3 victory over the Olympians. Next on the firing line was a team out of Lake Zurich, Illinois, the Lightning. The Wolves managed to escape with a close 4-3 victory.

However, the weary Wolves were no match for Chicago's Travelers who destroyed the Wolves' image of invincibility, 11-3.

Hardin's Wolves needed and got a comeback victory at the expense of Cedar Rapids, a team from the heartland of America, Iowa. The Wolves managed to hang on to a 4-3 win, despite finishing the game with only eight players.

To qualify for the championship round, the Wolves needed one more victory, and they exploded 11-1 over the Olympians in their rematch to advance to the championship round, where they found and defeated Rockford for the title.

Pitchers Anthony Savone, Chris Holcomb, and David White, each chalked up one win. Wolves' hurler Jammell Terry was credited with two victories.

At the plate, Savone also was exceptional as the young ball player drilled five home runs in the series. Teammates David White and Terry also homered for the champs.

Defensive standouts included Byron Glenn, Mike Broughton, J. J. Pierce, Jill Heininger, Will Lewis, and Billy Hardin.

In Trenton, the Wolves swept to four straight victories and clinched the 15th annual Trenton Baseball Invitational. Pitchers David White and J. J. Pierce again turned in outstanding performances.

Byron Glenn drilled one home run and Savone also homered for the champs in the opening 25-0 shellacking of Riverview.

Against Trenton, the Wolves again were merciless. They trounced the hosts, 26-1, as Alex Causant, Billy Hardin and Chris Holcomb each contributed at the

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Salem places 6 on all-district

A heartbreaking loss to Temperance-Bedford in the first round of the regional girls' softball tournament ended Plymouth-Salem's softball season, but the loss did not diminish Salem's outstanding season on the diamond.

Coach Bonnie Southerland's Rocks wrapped up the 2001 campaign with an impressive 21-15 overall record and a district championship.

The Rocks led Temperance 5-2 at one point, but the Mules rallied to win, 6-5.

After capturing the district title, Salem was awarded six berths on the elite All-District squad.

Picked from the ranks of the Rocks were senior pitcher Kristin Miller, catcher Amy Szawara, infielders Mandy Bradley and Katie Kelly. Also drafted were outfielders Kelly Jaskot and Maggie Tudor.

Southerland was named the district's Coach of the Year.

Earlier in the week, two of Salem's softball stars were selected by the Western Lakes Conference coaches to the 2001 All-Conference Team. Named to the elite lineup are infielder Katie Kelly, who is a senior assigned to play shortstop, and Kelly Jaskot, a junior outfielder, who played centerfield.

Six Plymouth-Salem players' names appear on the Honorable Mention list. They include: Dawn Allen (senior, first base), Jenn Allen (senior, second base), Mandy Bradley (sophomore, infield), Kristin Miller (senior pitcher), Amy Szawara (junior, catcher) and Maggie Tudor (sophomore, left field).

Inkster to offer baseball camps

Inkster Parks and Recreation officials announced this week that they will be offering instructional baseball classes for children and future stars of the diamonds.

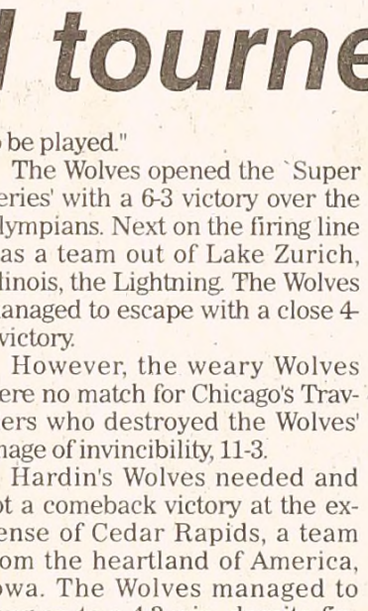
There is a $35 registration fee.

Prospective players may sign up beginning June 25 at the following city parks and facilities: Demby Center, Wheatley Park, Westwood Park, King Park, and the Booker T. Dozier Parks and Recreation Complex.

Recreation officials also point out that the 2001 Summer Activity Program will run from 11 a.m. until. 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, beginning June 25 until August 11.

There is a $5 registration fee. Participants will be provided a free box lunch at the city parks.

Contact Ruth E. Williams, Youth Program Specialist, at 734-728-7530 for further information.



Patrice Beasley

Romulus track star picked All-State

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

Patrice Beasley scored all 15 of her team's points at the state finals of the Michigan High School Athletic Association's Track & Field Championships staged earlier this month in Grand Rapids.

Considered by many coaches as one of the best sprinters in the state in 2001, the 16-year-old Romulus High junior has lifted the bar even higher for the 2002 campaign. She hopes to turn her bronze and ribbons into gold medals.

Beasley finished third to Mattawan's Sara Baker who ran a 56.66 to win in the 400.

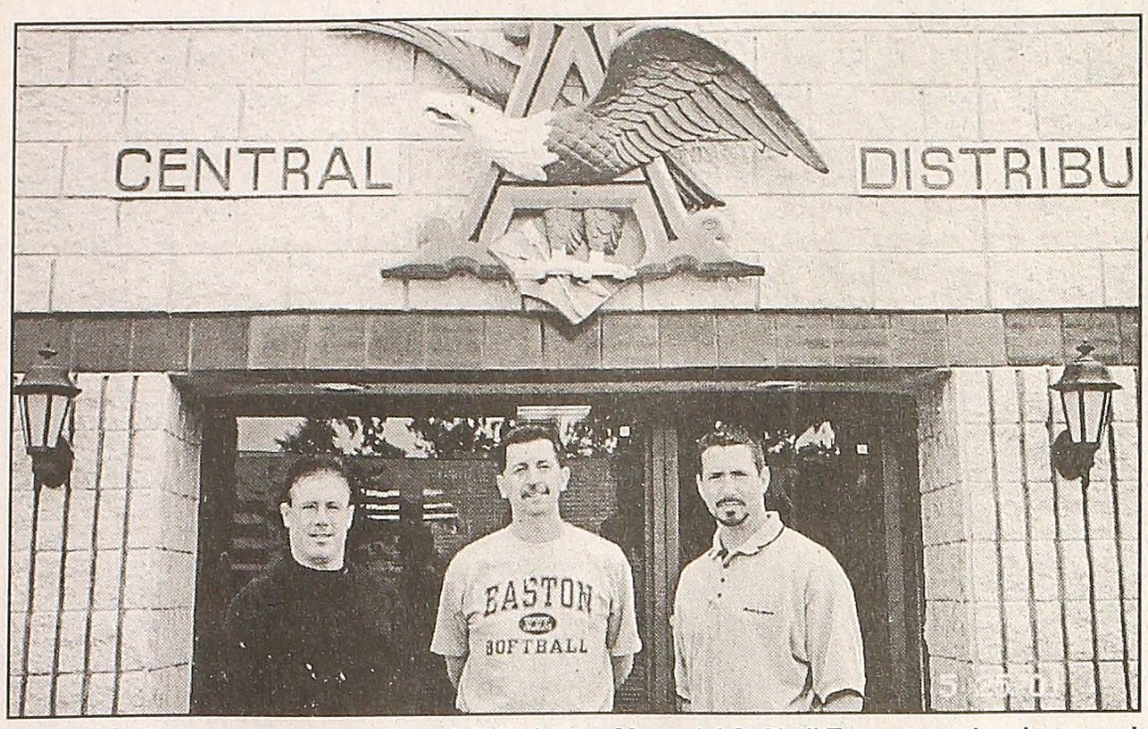
Beasley also placed in the 200-meters (fourth-place) and in the 100-meters (fifth-place) at state. All her performance earned her recognition as an All-State athlete. (The top eight finishers are awarded the unique distinction.)

"I know I can improve," says Beasley. "And I know I can win if I continue to practice.

Romulus Coach Wade Cook, drafted to coach track this season, agrees that Beasley has the potential to climb (or is it run) to the top of the field.

"Patrice is just an outstanding athlete," said Cook, who guided the Romulus High football team to a perfect 9-0 record a year ago. "Her work ethics are impeccable.

"But, as in all things, you have to set your goals and work hard to make them come true. I believe that Patrice will accomplish what she sets out to do."



The 'Silver Anniversary' of the Leonard J. Anderson Memorial Softball Tournament has increased in sponsorship as Central Distribution of Beer of Romulus has joined the ranks of sponsors. Pictured with Tournament Manager Larry Quartuccio (center) are Doug Bryant, Central Distribution's Promotions Manager (at left) and Rob Partain, Sales Manager (at right). The tournament will be staged the weekend of July 20 at Anderson Field in Wayne.

Still room for few more softball teams

There are still a couple of more spots available for the 25th annual Leonard J. Anderson Memorial Softball Tournament, according to tournament manager Larry Quartuccio.

The tournament will be staged in Wayne on July 20-21-22.

"If there are any local teams interested in entering this year's Silver Anniversary of the tournament I urge them to contact me as soon as possible," Quartuccio said.

Quartuccio also offered a word to the wise: "The tournament is very close to being full at this time. We have some of the top teams in the country already committed to playing, so if you have a team, give us a call."

Quartuccio may be reached at 859-384-7578. A longtime Wayne resident, Quartuccio has been tournament director for all 24 of the previous tournament. He was transferred by his corporation to Kentucky several years ago, but continues to return to Wayne to help stage the summer classic.

The tournament will be staged in Wayne on July 20-21-22.

The tournament honors the memory of Patrolman Leonard J. Anderson, the only City of Wayne law enforcement officer ever slain in the line of duty.

The tournament has picked up several key sponsors, including Budweiser and Central Distributors of Beer of Romulus as well as Eaton Sporting Goods of Van Nuys, California.

Inkster offers tennis lessons

If learning to play tennis, or improving your game, are among the objectives you have for the summer, the Inkster Parks and Recreation Department has you covered.

Recreation officials announced this week that they are offering tennis lessons from 4 to 8 p.m., Monday through Thursday, for one-hour sessions beginning July 9 through August 9 at the Booker T. Dozier Recreation Complex, Middlebelt Road, quarter mile east of Michigan Ave.

Players will be placed in groups according to their skills after an evaluation by instructor Richard McGinnis.

Registration fee is $25; senior citizens may sign up for $15.

For more details, please contact the Inkster Parks and Recreation Department at 734-728-7530.

Wheels hire new hockey coach

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

When the Wayne Wheels begin their 2001-2002 hockey season, they'll have a new head coach in the driver's seat.

Matt Cipriani, the Wheels CEO, last week announced that the organization has hired Matthew Tapping as their new head coach. Tapping, a former Western Michigan University Club Team head coach, has agreed to a two-year contract.

The Wheels compete in the Central States Hockey League and use the Wayne Ice Arena as home ice.

"Tapping brings a wealth of experience and enthusiasm to our organization," said Cipriani. "I am sure his work ethic will be contagious with all of our players. We look forward to have him lead our young men."

The Wheels launch the CSHL season on home ice Friday, Sept. 7 at the Wayne Community Center against the Cleveland Lumberjacks.

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Cycle accident victim is critical

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

A 11-year-old Inkster girl remains in critical condition at the University of Michigan Hospital where she was rushed after being hit by a motorcycle.

Doctors at the hospital said Briana Milliner is being treated for head injuries, but they would not elaborate further.

Briana was one of three children who were playing on Middlebelt Road, between Pine and Annapolis Roads around 1 p.m. on Sunday, June 17 when they darted into the path of a cycle driven by a Taylor man.

Inkster police said that the Milliner child was the only one of the three that was struck by the motorcycle. The cyclist was traveling northbound on Middlebelt Road when the accident occurred.

Inkster police said that their investigation is ongoing and would have no comment until it was completed. Police also said that no charges against the driver have been filed at this time.

Anyone who can provide information about the accident is urged to call him at 313-563-9850.

Detective Anthony Abdallah is in charge of the accident investigation. Anyone who can provide information about the mishap is urged to call him at 313-563-9850.

Wolves

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plate.

The Southgate ball club remained the lone obstacle to the Wolves from advancing to the championship round and the Wolves put away their opponents, 12-3.

Savone, Pierce and Will Lewis again got the job done for the winners Slugger Holcomb came through at the plate with a couple of RBI hits.

The victory moved the Wolves into the finals where they were scheduled to play a highly-touted Michigan Tomahawks squad. The Tomahawks drew first blood, scoring an unearned run in the first inning. Savone responded with a swing that sent the ball over the outfielder's head for a home run. With the score tied at one apiece, the two teams dug in for a defensive battle.

"Savone got us going," said manager Hardin. "We broke the deadlock for good thanks to Broughton's `suicide squeeze'." Savone's line single, followed by an RBI bunt from Glenn gave the Wolves some breathing room.

Terry, the winning pitcher, notched seven strikeouts, walked none and allowed only two hits.

The victory boosted the Wolves' overall record to an incredible 30-3 on the young season.

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(Junior, Walled Lake Western); Catcher - Kevin Zerbo (Sophomore, Harrison); Infielders - Jon Loos (Senior, Plymouth-Canton), Nick Vitanis (Sophomore, Harrison), and Adam Rorabacher (Senior, Livonia Churchill).

The All-Western Division Outfield includes: Jay Sofen (Senior, Plymouth-Canton), Robbie Harmer, Jr. (Junior, Northville) and Kyle Wade (Junior, Walled Lake Western).

The At-Large player is Tom Hughes (Senior, Northville).

Honorable Mention recognition (local teams are listed only) was awarded to: Plymouth-Canton's Greg Neino, Russ Caid, Brent Kwiatkowski, Nick Muselman, Mark Hanson and Matt Staley; Plymouth-Salem's Mike Thackaberry, Chris Eicher, Chris Nackinder, Neil Kowalik.

Farmington, with an 8-1 record, captured the Lakes Division title and Glenn finished second (6-4), followed by Plymouth-Salem (6-3), Livonia Stevenson (5-5), Walled Lake Central (3-7) and North Farmington (1-9).

In the Western Division, Farmington Hills Harrison dominated the division with a 9-1 record. Canton was next best (6-4), followed by Walled Lake Western (6-3), Northville (5-4), Livonia Franklin (2-8) and Livonia Churchill (1-9).

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CITY OF ROMULUS

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF ROMULUS, MICHIGAN, BY REVISING APPENDIX "A". A COPY IN ITS ENTIRETY IS ON FILE IN THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

The City of Romulus hereby ordains:

Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to establish a comprehensive zoning regulations for the City of Romulus, and providing for the administration, enforcement, and amendment thereof, in accordance with the provisions of Michigan Public Act 207 of 1921 [MCL 125.581 et seq., MSA 5.2931 et seq.] as amended, and for the repeal of all ordinances in conflict herewith.

PREAMBLE AND ENACTING CLAUSE

Whereas, Michigan Public Act 207 of 1921 [CL 125.581 et seq., MSA 5.2931 et seq.], as amended, empowers the City to enact a zoning ordinance and to provide for its administration, enforcement, and amendment; and

Whereas, the City deems it necessary for the purpose of promoting and protecting the health, safety, morals, comfort, convenience, and general welfare of the residents of the City; and

Whereas, the City has prepared and adopted a comprehensive master plan designed to lessen the congestion on the public streets; to promote public health, safety, and welfare; to guide growth in a logical and orderly fashion; and to ensure a well balanced community from a physical, economic, and social standpoint; and

Whereas, the City has been divided into districts and regulations have been prepared pertaining to such districts in accordance with the master plan and in consideration of the character of the districts and their peculiar suitability for particular uses, with a view to conserving property values and encouraging the most appropriate use of land throughout the City;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ROMULUS, MICHIGAN

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Section 2. Saving Clause. Nothing in this Ordinance or in the Code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding pending in any court or administrative body, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any Act or Ordinance hereby repealed by this Ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired or affected by this Ordinance.

Section 3. Severability. Should any word, sentence, phrase or any portion of this Ordinance be held in a manner invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction or by any state agency having authority to do so for any reason whatsoever, such holdings shall be construed and limited to such word, sentence, phrase or any portion of the Ordinance held to be so invalid and shall not be construed as affecting the validity of any of the remaining words, sentences, phrases or portions of this Ordinance.

Section 4. Conflicting Ordinances. All prior existing ordinances adopted by the City of Romulus inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, hereby expressly repealed.

Section 5. Penalties. Any person who violates the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not more than $500.00 and/or by imprisonment of not more than ninety (90) days or both.

Section 6. Readings. This Ordinance shall be given a first reading on June 4, 2001, shall be enacted on June 12, 2001 and shall be published on or before June 21, 2001 and shall be effective June 21, 2001.

ADOPTED, APPROVED AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Romulus this 12th day of June, 2001.

William Oakley, Mayor
Linda Choate, City Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Ordinance as passed by the City Council of the City of Romulus at a regular Council Meeting held in the City Council Room in said City on the 12th day of June, 2001.

Linda Choate, City Clerk

I further certify that the foregoing was published in the Romulus Roman, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Romulus, on the 21st day of June, 2001.

Linda Choate, City Clerk

Within forty-five (45) days after publication of any ordinance duly passed by the Council, a petition may be presented to the Council protesting against such ordinance continuing in effect. Said petition shall contain the text of such ordinance and shall be signed by not less than six percent (6%) of the registered electors registered at the last preceding election at which a Mayor of the City was elected. Said ordinance shall thereupon and thereby be suspended from operation and the Council shall immediately reconsider such ordinance.

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ADOPTED: June 12, 2001
PUBLISHED: June 21, 2001

NEWS FROM THE CITY OF INKSTER

Without ceremony

Long-awaited John Daly Road Bridge is reopened

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

The John Daly Road Bridge opened Thursday afternoon, without ceremony.

City Engineer Johnny Leverette informed council members Wednesday night during council's study session that the replacement bridge was completed and access would be available to traffic "sometime Thursday afternoon."

Leverette also asked council whether the city planned to stage a traditional ribbon-cutting ceremony in association with the reopening of the bridge.

Council members, sans Mayor Hilliard Hampton, Jr., and councilwoman Janet Bostedor, who were absent, were unanimous in their answer: `no ceremony was necessary."

The north-south bridge on John Daly Road was closed in the spring of 1998 when then City Engineer Gregory Weeks suspected the integrity of the bridge had been compromised by age.

City officials said the bridge was constructed just before the beginning of World War II by Wayne County, which owned the bridge, to provide quick access to Michigan Avenue.

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Originally, the engineers were to look at repaving John Daly Road, between South River Park and North River Park Drive when, after an exploratory search, they discovered that the bridge was fundamentally unstable and recommended the structure be replaced.

Although the bridge is completed, there is about 700-feet of the road that needs to be repaired, Leverette told council.

"Drivers may have a rough drive for about 100 feet on the southbound side of the road," Leverette said. "But we should have that completed, too, within 30 days."

The bridge was replaced at a cost of about $620,000. City officials said that 95 percent of the funding was provided by the Michigan Department of Transportation. Local taxpayers picked up the remaining 5 percent.

'River Day' is Saturday

The rained-out "River Day" project will be staged in the City of Inkster on Saturday, Muzaffar Lakhani, director of the Inkster Department of Public Services announced on Monday.

The project was originally scheduled for June 2, but incessant rains on that day caused the postponement of the River Rouge clean-up efforts.

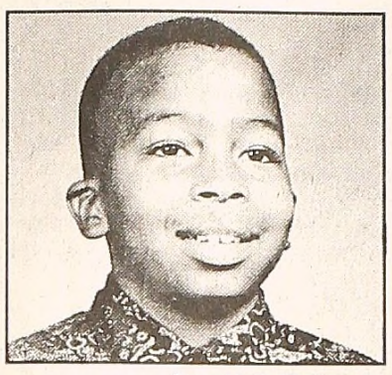
"We are urging residents to help in his worthy effort to clean-up the Rouge," Lakhani said. "Volunteers should come prepared to work and dressed appropriately for the occasion."

Lakhani said that the volunteers will focus on cleaning up the section of the Rouge that is east of the City Hall on South River Drive. The project will begin at 8 a.m. and end around 2 p.m.

Volunteers will be asked to clear man-made debris from the Rouge.

The annual project is cosponsored by the Friends of the Rouge.

For further information, residents are asked to contact the Department of Public Service at 1-313-563-9773.



Gerald B. Fuller, Jr.

A role model

Gerald B. Fuller, Jr., a junior at Robichaud High School and a member of the Pilgrim Travelers Missionary Baptist Church, has been named to the National Honor Society of Secondary Schools.

Membership is based on scholarship, leadership, service, and character.

"Gerald is very active in his church and a role model for his peers," says Rev. Charlie Knighten, pastor at Pilgrim Travelers.

Gerald is the son of Traci Byrd and Gerald Fuller, Sr.

Congratulations

Two Inkster residents successfully completed academic requirements to graduate from Madonna University.

Debbie Shingler was awarded a degree in law enforcement, while college officials said that Sharilsa Nicole Simpson was presented a Liberal Arts degree, with a major in English.

Ladies of Distinction attend national convention

Inkster members of the Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc., will join their colleagues next week at the TLOD's National Convention in Houston, Texas.

The convention will be held June 25 to July 1.

Vivien Coe Richard serves as the National President of the Top Ladies of Distinction.

Since its inception 37 years ago, TLOD has expanded to nearly 100 chapters across the United States. The club's membership surpasses 3,000 Top Ladies and 5,000 Top Teens.

TLOD has five programmatic thrusts: service to youth through its Top Teens of American group; service to senior citizens; the enhancement of the status of women, community relations and community partnerships.

TLOD has a number of long term national partnerships with other service groups including: The March of Dimes, National Assault on Illiteracy, National Council of Negro Women, NAACP and UNCF.

Nineteen Top Ladies and Teens from the local Chapter, Michigan Metro, will join over 1500 members and special guests for a week of leadership training and special events.

The Michigan Metro Chapter of TLOD was chartered in November of 1983 under the leadership of Lady Lorraine Patterson. Over the past years, the chapter has been involved with community service projects in each of the TLOD's program areas.

Chapter projects include: monthly visits to the Wayne County Family Center where they cosponsor activities, workshops, and other programs.

Members also visit nursing homes and senior residences.

A. CITY OF ROMULUS
REQUEST TO RECEIVE BIDS
BID 01/02-02

CONCRETE DRIVEWAYS & WALKWAYS AT FIRE STATION #4

The City of Romulus, Michigan is seeking bids from qualified vendors for the above item.

(1) Qualified individuals and firms wishing to submit bids must do so on forms provided by the City. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from Kristian Moe, Purchasing/Computer Services Director, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI or by calling (734) 942-7564.
(2) Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes and returned to the City Clerk's Office no later than 2:00 p.m., July 10, 2001. At that time said bids would be publicly opened and read.

BID ENVELOPES MUST BE MARKED:
CITY CLERK
CITY OF ROMULUS, MICHIGAN
BID 01/02-02
CONCRETE DRIVEWAYS & WALKWAYS AT FIRE STATION #4
11111 WAYNE ROAD
ROMULUS, MI 48174-1472

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and proposals and to waive technicalities.

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A. CITY OF ROMULUS
REQUEST TO RECEIVE BIDS
BID 01/02-01

FOUR OVERHEAD BAY DOORS AT FIRE STATIONS #4

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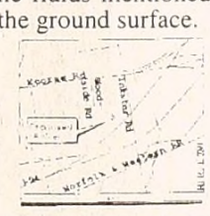
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (USEPA) REGION 5 UNDERGROUND INJECTION CONTROL PROGRAM PUBLIC NOTICE

The United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5 office is scheduling a public hearing on issues raised against issuing Sun Pipe Line Company a permit to construct and operate a Class I non-hazardous waste injection well located in Wayne County, Michigan.

The Safe Drinking Water Act requires us to regulate underground injection of fluids through wells to protect the quality of underground sources of drinking water. This is done in part by issuing permits to owners/operators of underground injection wells. The permit applicant has permission of, or has applied for permission to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) pursuant to Part 625, Mineral Wells, of the Natural Resources and Enviromental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (NREPA). The regulations governing underground injection wells are at Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations (40 CFR) Parts 144 and 146. The procedure for the permit process is at 40 CFR §124.5. More information about our program is on the Internet at **http://www.epa.gov/r5water/uic/uic.htm**.

FACTS
One proposed non-hazardous waste injection well for disposal of brine produced by dissolving salt to enlarge or produce storage caverns at their Inkster Terminal or Inkster Road at the I-94 Freeway. Sun Pipe Line Company, 1801 Market Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylania will inject the fluids mentioned above into a rock formation 3,900 feet below the ground surface.



Location: Wayne County, NE 1/4, SE 1/4, NE 1/4, Section 12, T3S, R9E **(See Map)**
USEPA Draft Permit# MI-163-11-0001
Well Name: Sun Pipeline Company Brine Disposal Well No. 1-A
Permit Writer: Harlan Gerrish (312) 886-2939 or **gerrish.harlan@epa.gov** via the Internet.

You may see the draft permit at: **Romulus Public Library, 11121 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan; Monday-Tuesday-Wednesday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., Thursday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. and also at the Henry Ford Centennial Library, 16301 Michigan Avenue, Dearborn, Michigan; Monday-Thursday 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.** The draft permit is also on the internet at **http://www.epa.gov/r5water/uic/uic.htm**.

You may view the administative record, including all data submitted by Sun Pipe Line Company at the Region 5 office or you may visit the office between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., please call the Permit Writer first.

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
DI Section (Attn: Lisa Perenchio)
77 West Jackson Boulevard, (WU-16J)
Chicago, Illinios 60604-3590

A public hearing is scheduled for July 24, 2001, to accept oral comments on this proposal permit. The hearing is to be held at Crowne Plaza Detroit, 8000 Merriman Road, Romulus, Michigan from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

We are in the process of updating our Michigan mailing list, do you wish to be included on our mailing list. If you do, please address your letter to the USEPA, Region 5, Underground Injection Control Branch, WU-16J, 77 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Illinois 60604-3590, Attn: Mary Redding.

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MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD JUNE 4, 2001 IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER ROMULUS CITY HALL, 11111 S. WAYNE ROAD, ROMULUS, MICHIGAN 48714

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Randolph Gear, Mayor Pro Tem

Present: LeRoy D. Burcroff, William A. Crova, Randolph Gear, Donald Morris, Michael A. Prybyla, Debbie Romak, William Wadsworth
Absent: None
Excused: None

Administrative Officials in Attendance:
William Oakley, Mayor
Linda R. Choate, Clerk

1. Motion by Romak, supported by Burcroff to accept the agenda as amended.*

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.
Nays - None.
Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-165

2A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Prybyla to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held May 29, 2001.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.
Nays - None.
Motion Carried Unanimously.

4. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Wadsworth to accept the Chairperson's Report.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.
Nays - None.
Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-166

5A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Burcroff to enter into Contract #01-5158 between the Michigan Department of Transportation and the City of Romulus for the purpose of receiving a $1,100,000.00 grant from the Transportation Economic Development Fund for widening and reconstruction work along Cogswell Road, and to authorize Mayor William Oakley to execute same.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.
Nays - None.
Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-167

5B. Motion by Crova, supported by Prybyla to award three block grant projects as submitted to the low bidder, Rey-Mart Asphalt in the grand total amount of $14,000.00.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.
Nays - None.
Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-168

6A1. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Romak to approve the second reading and final adoption of Budget Amendments 00/01-7, 8 & 9 introduced at the meeting of May 29, 2001.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.
Nays - None.
Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-169

6A2. Motion by Morris, supported by Burcroff to approve the second reading and final adoption of Appendix A, revised Zoning Ordinances introduced at the meeting of May 29, 2001.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.
Nays - None.
Motion Carried Unanimously.

11. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.
Nays - None.
Motion Carried Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

I, Linda R. Choate, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held June 4, 2001.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

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NEWS FROM THE CITY OF WAYNE

A drive on Washington

UAW joins Ford in duel against Firestone

"We're going to be there. 500 of us are going to be at the Wayne Assembly Plant Monday, around 5 a.m., and we're driving some 500 Explorers to Washington in support of the vehicles and of Ford Motor Company.

"We help make those vehicles and they are safe to drive," said the caller. "Why don't you come down at 5 a.m. and see us take off."

And sure enough, at 5 a.m. Monday, an estimated 500 members of the United Auto Workers got into a vehicles at the Michigan Truck Plant on Michigan Avenue in Wayne and started their engines, and they headed for the I-275 Expressway and the Ohio Turnpike, with their final destination - Washington D.C.

According to the UAW representatives, they are traveling to the nation's capital to unite with their "brothers and sisters" from across America for a rally on Tuesday in support of the Explorer, a vehicle manufactured at the St. Louis, Missouri, and Louisville, Kentucky Ford facilities.

The Explorer has been tied to more than 150 fatalities and hundreds of auto accidents. Ford officials have pointed to the Firestone tires as the cause for the accidents, while Firestone reportedly has conducted tests that offer a different story: the Explorer, Firestone states, is the culprit and not the tire manufacturer.

Firestone and Ford Motor Company have had a 100-year business relationship whereby Ford vehicles were equipped with only Firestone tires. That business marriage ended earlier this spring when Ford officials announced that they would seek tires from alternative tire manufacturers.

A select congressional committee was to begin talks this week on the cause of the fatal crashes and hopefully uncover the source of the problem.

The Michigan Trucking Plant in Wayne manufactures the Ford Expedition, which incidentally surpassed the one-million mark last week.

Earlier this month, Expedition was also named the segment winner for Best-Full-Sized SUV in the J. D. Power and Associates Initial Quality Study.

The J. D. Power Initial Quality Study is considered the automobile industry benchmark of quality for vehicles during the first three months of ownership.

The honor is in addition to Expedition being the only SUV to earn a double five-star rating in U. S. governmental frontal crash testing performed by the National Highway Traffic Safety Adminis-

In appreciation

In appreciation of the Wayne Rotary Foundation's generous donation to the capital fund of the Wayne-Westland YMCA, the YMCA recently presented the local club with a Corporate Bronze plaque. Christy Nolan, (at right) Executive Director of the YMCA, presented the plaque to Jerry Steinhauer, Secretary of the Wayne Rotary Foundation. The presentation occurred at one of the Rotary Club's meetings earlier this month.

D.A.R.E. officer completes curriculum

A Wayne police officer was among the 11 police and sheriff's departments across the State of Michigan who recently participated in the Middle School Curriculum D.A.R.E. Officer/Instructor Training School conducted by Michigan State University's School of Criminal Justice.

Patrolman Robert A. Puckett, Wayne's D.A.R.E. officer, participated in the three-day training that culminated with a graduation ceremony on June 7. The curriculum provided Puckett and the other 10 graduates with the required training needed before an officer may go into middle schools as certified to teach the D.A.R.E. Middle School program.

D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) is a police officer led series of classroom lessons that teach elementary and middle school children how to resist pressure to experiment with drugs and alcohol.

More than 100,000 Michigan grade school students benefit from the D.A.R.E. program each year.

D.A.R.E. is taught every year to more than 25 million school children in all 50 states and 11 foreign countries.

"D.A.R.E. doesn't just tell students to say no to drugs and alcohol, it teaches them new ways of how to say no," said Candace Curtis, Associate Training Coordinator of D.A.R.E. Michigan. "D.A.R.E. targets students when they are most vulnerable, especially during the middle school years, to tremendous peer pressure.

"The D.A.R.E. Middle School Curriculum helps them build self-esteem, manage stress, resist pro-drug media messages, and identify alternatives to drugs."

The new curriculum's primary goals are to eliminate or dramatically delay the use of tobacco and alcohol, present the use of illicit drugs and inhalants, and prevent interpersonal violence in middle school students' lives.

To achieve these goals, the curriculum focuses on developing and extending students' capacities to:

- Understand the nature and risks associated with tobacco, alcohol, illicit drugs and inhalants;
- Examine and understand their own beliefs about tobacco, alcohol, illicit drugs and inhalants, and the consequences associated with their use;
- Make positive quality of life decisions;
- Communicate clearly and act positively in social and interpersonal situations;
- Develop and use skills in refusal and assertiveness; and
- Recognize, defuse and avoid potentially violent situations.

CITY OF WAYNE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The City of Wayne Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, July 10, 2001, at 8:00 p.m., in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 3355 South Wayne Road, to consider amending Chapter 1280.04(f)(2) of the Zoning Ordinance regarding temporary signs.

At the conclusion of the public hearing, the Planning Commission will make a recommendation to the City Council for its consideration.

Peter J. McInerney
Community Development Director

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Schofield, Gjeci are awards recipients

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

Four years of excellence paid off for two outstanding Wayne Memorial High School seniors who were awarded the Wayne High School Alumni Association's 2001 scholarships.

The recipients of this year's scholarships are Ina Gjeci and Joshua Schofield, who will receive $1,000 each for the next four years to help defray the costs of attending an institute of higher learning.

The funds for the scholarships are donated by the school's alumni, sometimes as a memorial to an alumni or a teacher or as a direct gift to the fund.

"Generous and repeated giving has enabled the organization to increase its scholarship," said Joanne W. Johnson, Alumni Scholarship Coordinator. "We send out an informational bulletin each October with a list of donors and an invitation in the spring to our annual reunion and the response over the years has been tremendous."

The annual reunion is open to all graduates or high school attendees and is held the Friday after Mother's Day each year.

This year's awards mark the 16th consecutive year the Wayne High School Alumni Association has been able to offer graduating seniors the scholarships.

Also, the 2001 awards mark another milestone in the program: WMHSAA has been able to increase the amount of scholarships from one to two, and from $500 to $1,000.

A historical ice cream social

The Wayne Historical Society will host an ice cream social from 2 to 4 p.m. on July 8 on the museum lawn, located at 1 Town Square.

The social is sponsored by the Wayne Historical Society. The society's members invite the public to stop by and enjoy the camaraderie and, of course, a refreshing dip of ice cream.

During the social, the public also will be invited to tour the Wayne Museum and ask questions about the many artifacts and documents on display about the village that became the City of Wayne.

2001 City of Wayne 16th Annual 2001

FIREWORKS SHOW

Attwood Park

Wednesday, June 27, 2001

Approximately 10:00 p.m. • Rain Date Thurs. June 28

FIREWORKS WITH A MUSICAL FEATURE

MAIN STAGE

"Tribute to the Superstars"
Direct from Casino Windsor
Featuring Tributes to

Starring Paul Locrichio

Blues Brothers

Elton John

Elvis

WATCH THE FIREWORKS WITH 3D GLASSES BEING SOLD BY THE "FRIENDS OF PLAYSCAPE"

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FOOD VENDORS SERVING YOUR FAVORITE SNACK ITEMS.

•

WAYNE YOUTH HOCKEY ASSOCIATION WILL BE SELLING GLOW NECKLACES

Come Early!

Fireworks VIP Package
Cost is $25
Includes:
VIP seating for the fireworks & the Concert
Dinner and drinks
VIP parking
Tickets available at the Wayne Community Center
Proceeds go to the "Friends of Playscape"
Must be 21 or older to attend

Bring Lawn Chairs & Blankets

KIDS AREA: 6:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

• Train Rides • Moonwalk •
Kiddie Karnival • Face Painting
• Giant Slide
• Clowns & Much, Much More!

2001 FIREWORKS SPONSORS:
William C. Franks Furniture
• Henry's Service Center • Mark Chevrolet
• E & L Transport • Wayne Dairy Queen • Bratcher Electric

Additional parking at Kiwanis and east of Franklin Middle School

NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES TO BE BROUGHT ON THE PREMISES!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 734-721-7400

ROMULUS PUBLIC LIBRARY
11121 Wayne Road
Romulus, MI 48174
1 (734) 942-7589

Classified Wheels & Deals

CLASSIFIED DEADLINES: THURSDAY EDITION: 1:30 p.m. Tuesday • Call 734-729-3300

4. Monuments & Cemetery Lots

1 LOT, Cadillac Memorial Gardens in the Garden of the Good Shepherd, $865. 734-941-3076.

4 LOTS at Cadillac Memorial Cemetary. To inquire call 719-598-9790.

TWO CEMETARY LOTS, Cadillac Memorial Gardens, 2 vaults, 1 opening. $4,000 for both. 248-623-7012.

TWO PLOTS on Island Memorial Park. Grosse Isle. Call (734)941-1787

5. Personals

CELLULAR PHONES FREE!! Talk nights and weekends FREE! 1-800-765-5313, Promotional Code IS0416A.

N'SYNC Concert tickets, 2 for June 30th. Must sell! 313-561-7069.

RENT-TO-OWN 50" Big Screen TV's!
Starting at $29.99 a week.
1-800-774-4553.

RENT-TO-OWN COMPUTERS!
Starting at $19.99 a week.
1-800-422-3368.

9. Lost & Found

FOUND: Rotweiler (possible mix) pup in Hannan and Pennsylvania Road area around May 19. Black and tan, about 35lbs., was wearing black collar. Was taken to Huron Valley Humane Society (on Cherry Hill in Ypsilanti), but want to find its owner! Please call me at 734-429-0579 or the Humane Society.

MISSING: Specialized Vegas BMX bike, red, stolen 1/15/01 from the State Wayne Theater. REWARD! 734-729-2259.

LOST: Cat, her name is Miss Kitty. One year old, gray with light gray stripes, 8 lbs., she can not Meow. This is a very special cat and she is missed very much. REWARD to finder! Please call 734-722-4607 or come by 3419 Sophia, Wayne.

10. Coming Events

BINGO!
Every Thursady and Sunday Night!
1055 S. Wayne Road
Sunday Bingo
starts at 1 p.m.
Thursday Bingo
starts at 6:30 p.m.
snack bar will be open!

32. Help Wanted

$1500 a month PT - $4500-$7200 FT WORK IN HOME. International co. needs Supervisors and Assistants. Training. Free Booklet. www.financialfreedom-from-home.com (888)739-1927.

DIRECT CARE STAFF
Must be at least 18, have valid drivers license, high school diploma or GED. Flexible hours and benefits. Call M-F, 9a-3p, (248) 685-8216, Milford.

6. Legal Notices

Pursuant to State Law, a sale will be held at Fullhouse Self Storage, 7886 Belleville Road, Belleville, MI, on July 26, 2001 at 11:00 a.m. The following goods will be sold:

TENANT - Alex Papow II
SPACE NUMBER - E-214
CONTENTS - 2 bed frame, 1 dryer, 1 washing machine, 1 bed head board, 2 fan, 10 other misc. items, 15 boxes, 1 mirror

TENANT - Ricardo Serrato
SPACE NUMBER - D-167
CONTENTS - 1 bag, 1 fan, 6 other misc. items, 3 boxes, 1 end table, 1 upholstered chair, 1 tool box

TENANT - Charles Watson & Sons / Charles Watson
SPACE NUMBER - L-519
CONTENTS - 1 baby chair, 1 bed mattress, 25 boxes, 1 ladder, 1 tires, 3 bags, 2 bicycles, 1 desk, 1 folding table, 15 toys, 2 bed head board, 1 bowling ball, 1 fish tank, 1 night table, 10 other misc. items.

TENANT - Sharon Leiby
SPACE NUMBER - K-672
CONTENTS - 25 boxes, 1 microwave oven, 2 tires, 1 upholstered chair, 3 pictures, 10 other misc. items, 1 table lamp, 1 suitcase

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6. Legal Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION:

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Tuesday, June 26, 2001 at 10:00 a.m. at Howard's Towing, 35830 Van Born, Wayne, MI, County of Wayne, a public sale of the following vehicles will be held:

1988 Buick Regal	2G4WD14W3J1402406
1984 Datsun Maxima	JN1HU01S0ET245056
1993 Fruehof Trailer	1H2V04826PE026898
1986 Nissan Pulsar	JN1MN24S8GM031111
1988 Mazda 323	JM1BF2224J0105532
1990 Plymouth Voyager	2P4FH2538LR717107
1985 Buick Regal	1G4GM47H9FH441606

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6. Legal Notices

Notice of Public Sale

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Wednesday, June 27th, 2001 at 9:00 a.m. at Crova's Towing, 36573 Grant Rd., Romulus, Michigan, County of Wayne, a public auction of the following vehicles will be held:

1.	1997 Honda Motorcycle	JH2ME03017VM906894
2.	1987 Buick Century 2 Door	1G4AH11R9H6430551
3.	1985 Ford Mustang 2 Door.	1FABP26A6FF155700
4.	1979 Buick 4 Door	4P69X9H479503
5.	1985 Dodge Ram Van	2B6HB23T3FK295380
6.	1973 Honda Motorcycle	CB7502051180
7.	1990 Ford Tempo 4 Door	2FAPP36X5LB151635
8.	1985 Mercury Grand Marquis 4 Door	2MEBP95F4FX677969
9.	2001 Ford Wagon	1FMNU41S41EB10115
10.	1989 Toyota Truck	JT5VN94T5K0005869
11.	1994 Dodge Intrepid 4 Door	1B3HD46T4RF298385
12.	1986 Cadillac Fleetwood 4 Door	1G6DW69Y4G9730532
13.	1994 Pontiac Firebird 2 Door	2G2FS22SOR2225937
14.	1987 Isuzu I-Mark 2 Door	JABRT2177H5138285
15.	1993 Pontiac Grand Prix 2 Door	1G2WJ14T0PF234443
16.	1990 Oldsmobile Delta 4 Door	1G3HN54C6LH357744
17.	Unknown Dodge Neon 2 Door	NO VIN
18.	1986 Cadillac Deville 4 Door	1G6CD6987G4320791
19.	1990 Chevy Van	1GNCCU06D5LT151552
20.	1987 Oldsmobile 2 Door	1G3GR11YXHR301140
21.	1984 Buick Limited 4 Door	1G4AP6944EH966459
22.	1992 Chevy Cavalier 4 Door	1G1JC5445N7237483
23.	1979 Dodge 2 Door	NL29G9B238318
24.	1988 Volkswagon Jetta 4 Door	1VWFB9166JV031170
25.	1983 Datsun 4 Door	JN1PB11SEDU030805
26.	1988 Ford Taurus SW	1FABP55U7JG121281
27.	1992 Ford Tempo 2 Door	1FAPP31X7NK158277
28.	1988 Honda Accord 4 Door	1HGCA6165JA050891
29.	1981 Buick Electra 2 Door	1G4AX37Y7BH444215
30.	1991 Pontiac Grand Prix 2 Door	1G2WJ14T6MF282430
31.	1980 Ford Bronco SW	U15FLGJ2384
32.	1978 Chevy PU	CCU148F353810
33.	2000 Ford Windstar Van	2FMZA5143YBB83984
34.	1992 Chevy Cavalier 4 Door	1G1JC5442N7119066
35.	1998 Chrylser Sebring 2 Door	4C3AU52N6WE095886
36.	1994 Cadillac Deville 4 Door	1G6KD52B6RU227565
37.	1991 Plymouth Laser 2 Door	4P3CS44U9MF013865
38.	1991 Ford Festiva 2 Door	KNJPT06H2M6111152
39.	1986 Oldsmobile Cutlass 2 Door	1G3GR47A5GP310480
40.	1981 Cadillac Coupe Deville 2 Door	1G6AD478B9224899
41.	1984 Buick Lesabre 4 Door	1G4AM69A5EH902961
42.	1983 Chevy Pick-up	2GCFC24HXD1179199
43.	1988 Ford Ranger Pick-up	1FTBR10T9JUB24065
44.	1984 Chevy Van	1GCEG25D8E7150218
45.	1988 Ford Econoline Van	1FTFE24Y3JHC10554
46.	1987 Lincoln Continental 4 Door	1LNBM970HY711718

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6. Legal Notices

Notice of Public Sale

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Wednesday, June 27th at 11:00 a.m. at J & M Towing, 8964 Inkster Rd., Romulus, Michigan, County of Wayne, a public auction of the following vehicles will be held:

1.	1991 Ford Escort 2 Door	*1FAPP1281MW243084*
2.	2000 Chevy Pick-up	*1GCCS1446YK109668*
3.	1987 Ford Thunderbird 2 Door	*1FABP6034HH214204*
4.	1996 Freightliner Semi-Tractor	*1FUYDXYB6TP634553*
5.	1991 Chevy Sportsvan	*1GBEG25K6M7101293*
6.	1986 Ford Van	*9BFXH70P2GDM00583*
7.	Unknown Holiday Traveler Camper	*Unknown*
8.	Unknown Airstream Camper	*Unknown*
9.	1991 Pontiac 6000 LE Wagon	*1G2AF84RXM6229948*
10.	1988 Ford Bronco Wagon	*1FMCU14T9JUD03912*
11.	1985 Chevy Astro Van	*1G8CM15N3FB156858*
12.	1986 Cadillac Deville 4 Door	*1G6CD6981G4283754*
13.	1975 Alpha Romeo 2 Door	*3022725*
14.	1989 Ford SW	*1FMCA11U5KZA09448*
15.	1989 Cadillac Brougham 4 Door	*1G6DW51YGKR700608*
16.	1986 Mercury Marquis Wagon	*1MEBP9032GG606788*
17.	1986 Ford Pick-up	*1FTEF14H6GLA15007*
18.	1992 Pontiac 4 Door	*1G2NE54N9NC229412*
19.	1990 Geo Prizm 4 Door	*1Y1SK5463LZ119641*
20.	1988 Oldsmobile Cutlass 4 Dr.	*1G3NF54D7JM267323*
21.	1987 Buick Century 4 Door	*1G4AL51W7HD454726*
22.	1989 Ford Econoline Van	*1FTFE24N8KHC26028*

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1. Honda Civic
   1HGED3655JA083176

2. 1989 Saab 9005
   YS3AK35D7K3013415

3. Pontiac Grand Am
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4. Pontiac Bonneville
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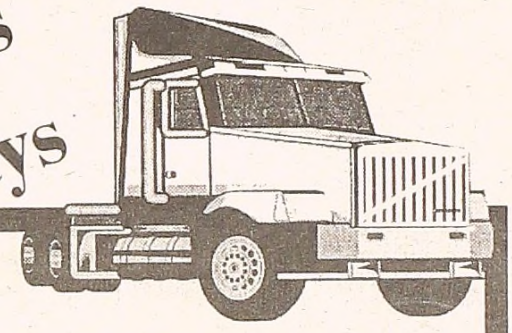

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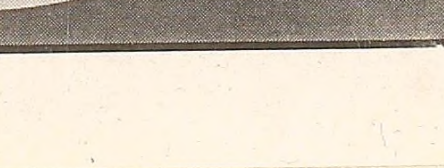

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City of Inkster
Personnel Department
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Inkster, MI 48141
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60. Misc. Sales

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Canton

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June 22-23-24, 9am-5pm
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WAYNE-4619 WILLIAMS
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61. Misc. Items

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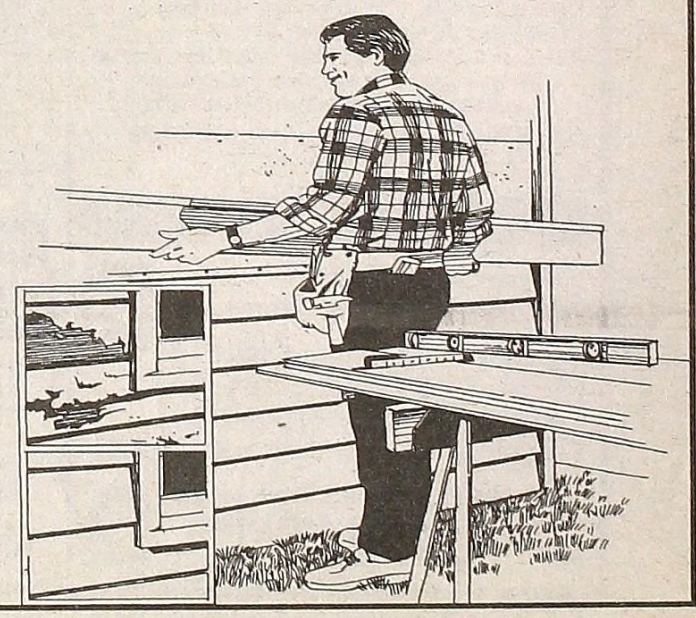

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